

RUMOR OF PRETENDER'S ASSASSINATION.



ABDUL AZIZ, SULTAN OF MOROCCO.

Story Circulated at Madrid That Leader of Morocco Rebels Has Met His Fate.

MADRID, May 6.—A dispatch to the "Imparcial" from Melilla, Morocco, says it is rumored there that the Pretender has been assassinated in his camp at Zelonin.

GAY FIESTE AT LOS ANGELES SHOT AND CUT AT FIGHT

ANNUAL CELEBRATION OPENS UNDER AUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 6.—Los Angeles presents a gala appearance today, the first of the fiesta celebration. The last touches have been put upon the decoration of streets and buildings and the whole city apparently is a matter with flags and pennants and streamers of gay bunting.

On Broadway dozens of tribunes have been erected over the sidewalks and on others the number is equally large. Every possible view point is suddenly acquired. Crowds from out of town points have been pouring into town today, although the greatest rush is expected Friday. The fiesta will have its inception tonight with the first appearance of the electric parade at 8 o'clock.

EX-GOV. BUDD GOING TO EUROPE.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Ex-Governor James H. Budd of California has been booked to sail for Europe on the Hamburg-American liner Deutschland to-morrow.

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BANK OF D. O. MILLS IS SOLD.

Sacramento Finance Bought by Bank of California.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—The Bank of California has completed arrangements for the purchase of the National Bank of D. O. Mills & Co., of Sacramento. This adds another link to the chain of banks which the former institution decided some months ago to establish in this city and State, which has already resulted in the organization of the Mission Bank of San Francisco. The stockholders of the Bank of California authorized this expansion by voting to allow the bank to invest a portion of its surplus and undivided profits, now amounting to \$4,292,168, or more than double the amount of the capital in the shares of other corporations.

STAGE IS HELD UP AT ROSEBURG.

A San Francisco Victim Pleads for and Gets \$10 Back.

ROSEBURG, Or., May 6.—The mail stage from Coos Bay to Roseburg was held up and robbed by two masked men last night between Camas Valley and Olney. The three passengers on board were compelled to get out of the stage and line up. While one of the robbers stood guard with a rifle the other received the money and the valuables from the passengers. H. H. Scottie of San Francisco, who had considerable money taken from him, protested against having his entire capital taken and his plea was so effective that the robbers returned \$10 to him. The mail was not touched. The country where the robbery occurred is heavily timbered, and there is small probability of apprehending the robbers.

LONDON, May 6.—At the Chester race meeting today the Chester Cup was won by Vendale. Throwaway was second and Caro third. Fifteen horses started.

DRAGGED LIKE A LOG FOR THREE MILES.

Light Patrolman Briody Meets His Death in a Horrible Manner Near Mission San Jose.

NILES, Cal., May 6.—E. A. Briody, a patrolman of the Standard Electric Company between Livermore and Mission San Jose, was dragged to death in a runaway last night. His body was stripped of clothing and horribly mutilated. He was returning from Warm Springs with his wife, leading a horse, when the animal he was driving balked at a small hill. Mrs. Briody alighted to lighten the rig, when the animal driven whirled about and dashed away. Briody's feet were caught in a wheel and he was dragged with head and shoulders on the ground nearly three miles before the horse stopped. The body will be buried at Mission San Jose tomorrow. The other animal ran away. The home of the unfortunate man was at Mission San Jose. Coroner Mehrmann has been notified, and will proceed at once to the home of the deceased and hold an inquest on the remains.

ENGLAND HAS MONROEISM OF HER OWN.

Lansdowne Says Berth of Any Other Power in Persian Gulf Means War With Britain.

LONDON, May 6.—Foreign Secretary Lansdowne has proclaimed a British Monroe doctrine in the Persian Gulf, and has practically notified the competing powers that any attempt on their part to establish a naval base or fortified post in those waters means war with Great Britain. MENACE TO BRITISH INTERESTS. "I say without hesitation," said the foreign secretary, dealing with the subject in the House of Lords yesterday evening, "that we should regard the establishment of a naval base or a fortified port in the Persian gulf by any other power as a very grave menace to British interests and we should certainly resist it with all the means at our disposal." BRITISH MONEY AND BLOOD. Lord Lansdowne preceded this explicit enunciation of British policy by a review of the situation there, as it affected British interests, contending that so far as the navigation of the Persian gulf was concerned Great Britain held a position different from that of other powers, both because it was owing to British enterprise and expenditure of life and money that the gulf was now open to the commerce of the world and because the protection of the sea route to India necessitated British predominance in the gulf. ATTITUDE APPROVED. Lord Lansdowne's attitude in this matter generally meets with approval although the answers thereto of the other powers interested in the gulf are awaited with some anxiety. The newspapers here comment on the analogy of the present proceedings, which Captain Mahan so strongly recommended to the United States policy of Monroeism. The Westminster Gazette holds that the British method, namely, the protection of the sea route to India, corresponds exactly with the American motive in excluding European powers from American waters because their territory is thereby threatened.

FIFTEEN ENGULPHED IN ANGRY WAVES.

Schooner Gloriana Dashed to Pieces at Thrum Cape and Only Three of Crew Survive.

CANSON, N. S., May 6.—Reports today from Thrum Cape indicate that the fishing schooner Gloriana, from Gloucester, Mass., went ashore last night and was broken up. The captain and fourteen men of the crew are missing. The reports of the loss of the Gloriana have been confirmed. The vessel carried a crew of eighteen, three of whom were saved. Gloucester, Mass., May 6.—Andrew Leighton, owner of the schooner Gloriana, received a telegram from Canson today notifying him of the loss of his vessel. The dispatch gave few particulars. It is stated that the schooner struck on White Point, at the entrance of Canson harbor and went to pieces during the night. Of the entire crew of eighteen men, only three were saved.

ENGLAND'S BIG LOAN TO BOERS.

Chamberlain Delivers Optimistic Address on Subject.

LONDON, May 6.—In the House of Commons today on a formal resolution guaranteeing the Transvaal loan of \$175,000,000, Colonial Secretary Chamberlain delivered a lengthy, optimistic address on the future of the New South African colonies. His remarks were most a reiteration of former statements. Mr. Chamberlain declined to give the price or time of issue of the new loan but said the prospect would shortly be issued. He explained that it had been decided to purchase all the existing railways which would absorb \$85,000,000 of the new loan and \$25,000,000 more would be expended as quickly as possible on the development of railways, \$12,500,000 would be spent on land settlement and \$10,000,000 on public works. The security for the loan was excellent. It would be a charge on the common fund of the two colonies, the Transvaal and Orange River colony, whose finances would be administered by the new inter-colonial council, which was about to be created for the purpose of dealing with the constabulary, railways and other matters, where the colonies were jointly interested. This would be a commencement of the policy leading to the federation of South Africa, which he believed was nearer than many persons thought.

NICARAGUA ON ROOSEVELT

PRESIDENT'S STAND ON MONROE DOCTRINE CAUSED HARD FEELING.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—Reports received by the Pacific Mail steamer Colon, from Panama, indicate that General Emiliano Chamorro, the conservative leader of Nicaragua, is making great progress against the forces of President Zelaya. Passengers on the Colon refute the statement that the government forces have retaken the vessels captured by General Chamorro on Lake Nicaragua. General Ortiz, the newly-proclaimed president, was at last accounts on the march from Honduras with a large force to attack the government forces at Leon. The report is brought from Nicaragua that Americans are openly biased, on account of the feeling against President Roosevelt, who is blamed for not enforcing the Monroe Doctrine, by preventing Great Britain and Germany from collecting their debts from Salvador and Nicaragua. Outrages on the part of President Zelaya against certain prominent citizens of Nicaragua who are of different political faith from himself, are also said to have become common, and the result of all the strife has been to paralyze trade. Many Colombians are expected to assist the revolutionists in their fight against Zelaya.

HORRIBLE SUICIDE OF SCHOONER HAND.

SAN PEDRO, May 6.—Early this morning the body of M. Kinney, a seafaring man, was found in this city with his throat cut from ear to ear. By his side was an ordinary pocket knife covered with blood. All indications point to the case as one of suicide. Kinney left the schooner S. H. Wood on that vessel's last trip to this port several weeks ago.

CHOICE AUCTION SALE.

We have received instructions from Mrs. Herman, 327, Magnolia street, between Eighth and Tenth, Oakland, to sell at public auction the furnishings of her fine house. Sale—Thursday, May 7, at 10:30 A. M. Open for inspection Wednesday from 3 to 5 P. M.

The elegant furnishings of this house comprise in part: 1 fine Steinway upright piano, elegant odd upholstered parlor pieces, imported lace curtains, draperies, bric-a-brac, extra fine oak bookcase and 200 choice books, gold-leaf parlor pieces, cozy corner, mahogany music cabinet, parlor tables, English body Brussels carpets, choice lot of oil paintings and engravings, massive quartered oak sideboard, dining table and box dining chairs to match, cutglass and chinaware, fine oak bedroom suites, chiffoniers, iron beds, hair mattresses, bedding, rugs, massive oak hatrack, Union Flag, range, kerosene, kitchen furniture, garden tools, etc., etc.

This is an extra choice lot of goods and must be seen to be appreciated. Be sure and call in and see goods on day of inspection. All must and will be sold. J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers, office, 1501 Park St., Alameda, phone Grand 178; 106 3d St., S. F., phone Black 50; 424 11th St., Oakland, phone Red 1984. Auction sales of furniture at private homes a specialty.

PORTE HOLDS BULGARIA RESPONSIBLE



PORTE'S SOLDIER ON GUARD IN BULGARIA.

Outrages He Says Due to Freedom of Action Allowed to the Macedonian Agitators.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 6.—The irritation in Turkish official circles against Bulgaria is constantly growing more acute and the government of that principality has been formally notified in vigorous language that the Porte holds it responsible for the outrages arising from the freedom of action of which the Macedonian agitators living in Bulgaria have been allowed.

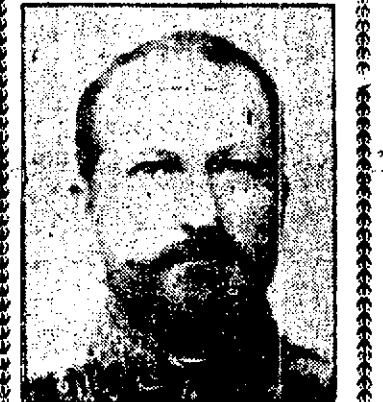
It is reported that the Porte has decided to mobilize the whole of the second and third army corps stationed at Adrianople and Salonica, respectively.

PAPERS SEIZED. The police of Constantinople have arrested about sixty Bulgarians and have made numerous domiciliary visits including one to the residence of the secretary of the Bulgarian Diplomatic Agency, whose papers were seized. They were, however, subsequently restored, as nothing compromising was discovered therein.

GUARDS STRENGTHENED. Alarming reports are in circulation regarding outrages which are said to be projected here for today. The military and police guards in this city and its suburbs have been considerably strengthened.

In the district of Pristrend, Albania, two chiefs, leaders of the opposition to reforms have been arrested. "The Sultan's Reform Commission" is still at Ipeka, Albania, on which place Turkish troops are advancing with the object of dispersing the hostile Albanians in that vicinity.

WOMEN AND GIRLS IN FIGHTS. VIENNA, May 6.—Advice received here from Salonica say that nothing but the fact that hundreds of Bulgarians have been arrested, street fights are constantly taking place. Women and children, especially young girls, take a prominent part in these disturbances. It is asserted that bomb outrages have been planned in all the towns of Macedonia.



Ferdinand, Prince of Bulgaria.

Macedonia. Bombs have been discovered in houses at Uskub, European Turkey, where the Turkish population is greatly excited, fearing a massacre.

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SURVIVED LOSS OF HIS SHIP



Reports.

PHILADELPHIA, May 6.—Captain James I. Tunnell of the Clyde steamer Saginaw, which was sunk yesterday by the steamer Hamilton of the Old Dominion Line, off the Virginia coast,

cer. J. N. Selzer, Assistant Engineer Murray and Second Mate W. I. Morris. Captain Tunnell is severely injured and suffers greatly from the shock. He was removed to his home.

office of the company but the officials say they will have no statement to make until Captain Tunnell is able to give an official account of the disaster.

IS EASY

TO ENJOY.

AND IS ROBBED THIRD.
TIME.

HAYWARDS, May 6.—The Gun-Tree Sloop on B street, of which Manuel Medros is the proprietor was broken into last night about midnight. There are two slot machines in the saloon which the burglars broke open, but luckily there was no money in either. The two machines were left open. The proprietor had put in a burglar alarm which would connect with the house of William Allen, but the alarm failed to work.

This is the third time within the last few weeks that this saloon has been broken into, the burglars each time tackling the slot machines.

TRIAL OF ALLEGED HORSETHIEVES SET

George Mato, Benjamin F. Boynton and Albert Homenover were up before Judge Quinn in the Police Court this morning on the charge of grand larceny and their cages were continued until May 13th for trial. Mato, Boynton and Homenover were arrested in Martinez about a time ago on the charge of stealing horses from the Riding Academy in the city.

SAYS IT INFRINGED PATENT.
The suit of O. E. Perrigo against the Fruit Packing Company for \$5,000 damages is being heard before Judge Melvin in the Superior Court to-day. Perrigo claims the alleged infringers made a patent by the defendants.

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Carter's Liver Pills.....	2 for 25c
Munyon's Remedies.....	15c
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Munyon's Soap.....	10c

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THE LATEST NEWS

KING OF FRAUDS IN JAIL.

Identity of Confidence Man Established in Frisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—Believed to be one of a trio of Italian confidence operators who fled from San Francisco, a resident of Redwood City out of \$700 a few days ago and identified by Detective Sergeant Balmridge, head of the police department identification bureau, as Paolo Frigerio, the cleverest "boodle ringer" in America, and a man giving the name of "Joseph Martin," is registered on the detinue book at the City Prison.

His identification was accomplished with the aid of a Kansas City rogues' gallery picture taken in 1892.

At that time Frigerio was arrested in company with M. E. Farro, alias Joseph Paletti, for swindling a number of fellow-countrymen out of several thousand dollars, and the pair was rated the most dangerous that ever operated there.

RIVERSIDE GETTING READY FOR PRESIDENT

RIVERSIDE, May 6.—Everything is being done by the committee to prepare a notable demonstration in the President's honor when he shall arrive in this city Thursday at 6 P. M. The Presidential train will be stopped at Pachappa station instead of Casa Blanca as planned, this being two miles nearer town. Carriages will be in waiting to take the party for a drive about four miles through the finest orange groves of the valley.

On reaching the intersection of Main and Fourteenth streets the Presidential party will be joined by a detachment of the California National Guard, Company M, National Guard of California; Sons of Veterans, Young Men's Christian Association cadets, Spanish Volunteers and three bands. The line of march has been decided with date-palm branches forming arches over the street for eight blocks. A platform will be erected at the corner of Main and Seventh streets, and here Mayor McFarland will welcome the President who will respond with a fifteen-minute address. The party will then repair to the Glenwood hotel for dinner. After dinner Teddy's Terrors will be in waiting in the lobby to greet their chief. The President will occupy a suite of rooms which have been beautifully decorated.

COAL OPERATORS MEET.

DISCLAIM ANY ATTEMPT ON THEIR PART TO ROB THE PUBLIC.

CHICAGO, May 6.—In an answer filed in the United States circuit court today, the Indiana and Illinois Coal operators who were recently made defendants in a case started by the government, admitted that they had been acting for some time under an agreement, but denied that there was any unlawful combination to fix prices for their product.

They declared that the agreement was abandoned before the court proceedings were begun, and that even while it was in force they sold coal below the prevailing market price.

There were ten companies and ten individuals named in the government's bill of complaint, and the answer was filed on behalf of the Wabash Coal Company and Max Eichberg.

The defendants presented figures to show that their product was so small in proportion to the general output of bituminous coal of the country that their agreement could not have had any serious effect on the market.

The object of their agreement, they declare was to increase the production of the mines embraced in the contract, and these mines were operated at their full capacity while the agreement was in force, exceeding the output of any previous year. In conclusion, the defendants say they are not doing and will not do what the government seeks to enjoin.

HUNTING MURDERERS OF B. MADONIA.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 6.—New York detectives are searching among the Italians here for evidence against the men arrested for the murder of Benedetto Madonia. Last night four Italians were arrested for two hours by Detective Asmer. The information obtained from them is being withheld, but it is said that a number of points were secured by Sergeant Cherry which will be of value in clearing the Madonia mystery.

DEATH OF AN ACTRESS.

DENVER, Col., May 6.—Mrs. Ella K. Leitch, who has been prominent in political and club circles in Denver for five years, died at St. Joseph's Hospital today of pneumonia, which attacked her after a successful operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Leitch was formerly a well-known actress. She retired from the stage six years ago. She was the wife of Byron C. Leitch and was born in Illinois forty-six years ago.

MARROQUIN MAY ACT AS DICTATOR.

The United States Will Title to Canal So Acquired.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The latest advice received indicates that President Marroquin of Colombia has almost decided not to call a special session of the Colombian congress to act on the canal treaty. In the election the progress the opposition continues to gain and the prospects for a government majority are so doubtful that President Marroquin seems indisposed to act. The Colombian congress will, however, assemble July 20, in regular session. At that session, the canal treaty might be taken up but in view of the sentiment existing much doubt is felt here as to whether it will be acted upon.

The outlook, however, does not discourage the officials here. The United States has gone so far in its negotiations with Colombia that confidence is felt here that President Marroquin will feel himself bound to carry out the engagements into which he has entered. The Colombian constitution contains a provision enlarging the powers of executive in case of disturbed conditions and if there is the slightest sign of forcible opposition to the government or of revolutionary uprising, such as are hinted at in the stories from Kingston, Jamaica, and from Isthmian points, indicative of a purpose to sever the isthmus from Colombian sovereignty, the President may arrogate to himself dictatorial power and go to the length of ratifying the canal treaty without the assent of congress. If he does so the United States government will sustain the title thus acquired.

PLATT NOT IN FAVOR OF LOW.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Senator Platt today announced that he would exercise his influence with the Republican County Committee to prevent that organization being represented at the Citizens' Union Conference next Monday night. The proposed conference is for the purpose of considering anti-trust legislation. Senator Platt, the Senator, considered it too early to begin holding conferences, and declared he never said he favored the renomination of Low.

EMPEROR WILLIAM VISITS ST. AGNES.

ROME, May 6.—Emperor William during the morning visited the site of the Goethe statue and the Haslica of St. Agnes, where Cardinal Kopp, Bishop of Brescia, is German, is the titular head. The Emperor, accompanied by the Queen Mother at the Buonaparte palace and left Rome late in the afternoon. There was a brilliant scene at the station when he left, and he was loudly cheered.

VENEZUELAN ON THE WAR PATH.

PUERTO CABELLO, May 6.—The report from Caracas that the Vice-President of Venezuela, General Gomez had landed 2000 Venezuelan Government troops at Tucacas is correct. The troops will go to Guayana, where General Mateos, the revolutionary leader is supposed to be and attempt to destroy the nucleus of the revolution in the west and open the railroad to traffic.

WIFE AIDED IN HUSBAND'S MURDER.

CHICAGO, May 6.—Mrs. Ona Wilthax, wife of the saloonkeeper under arrest in connection with the murder of Paul Paszkowski, was taken into custody today, having been implicated in the crime through statements to the police by her son, Julius Wilthax.

DEATH OF BROTHER SENATOR STANFORD.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Colonel Stanford, brother of the late Senator Leland M. Stanford of California, died at his home here today, aged 84 years.

MEN SCALDED IN AN OREGON MILL.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 6.—By the explosion of a boiler in the Oregon Lumber Company's planing mill at Vineto, near Hood river today, five men were severely scalded. The men were brought to the hospital in this city and it is thought all will recover.

FOUND ASPHYXIATED.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—Mrs. Kate Anderson, a widow residing on Kissling street, was found dead in bed this morning, having been asphyxiated by gas, which was escaping from an open jet on the side of the room. The case was apparently the result of an accident.

ESTATE OF JOSEPH STANFORD

Strange Admissions as to How it Was Administered.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—The contest over the estate of the late Joseph L. Stanford, which is now occupying the attention of Judge Coffey, has so far brought out admissions which caused surprise at the business methods of the executors. The estate of Mrs. Stanford was a very valuable one, consisting largely of the Los Mochos ranch, in Contra Costa county, of 18,000 acres. Charles L. Stanford, one of the heirs, claimed he was defrauded by the executors out of his share, and he asked the court to remove the executors. The executors are Andrew S. Mosely, Dr. C. N. Ellinwood and Professor George Davidson.

Mosely has admitted on the witness stand that he received \$300 for the wheat crop of the ranch, and the money was never accounted for by him or the executors, but was turned over to Thomas Davidson, the son of Professor Davidson, two years after Mosely had received it. In November, 1902, Mosely got the money and two months later filed his account as executor of the estate. He did not include the \$300 in the account, but turned it over to Dr. Ellinwood, who two years later gave it to Thomas Davidson, when the latter became the owner of the ranch. He explained that his attorney told him that he need not include the sum of \$300 in his account for the reason that it did not belong to the estate.

MRS. BAMFORD DIES AT ADVANCED AGE.

The death of Mrs. Cornelia Bamford, widow of the late Dr. Bamford, and mother of Miss Mary Bamford, assistant librarian at the Fourteenth-street public library, occurred at 9 o'clock this morning at her home, 1305 Fifteenth street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues. Mrs. Bamford had been ailing for a couple of weeks past, and while it was not expected that her illness would result seriously, her advanced age militated against her recovery and she passed peacefully away this morning.

Mrs. Bamford had resided in this city for many years. Her husband, the doctor, had a wide acquaintance in this city and they both were well known to the older residents of the city.

She leaves behind her but one child, Miss Mary Bamford, who has achieved considerable success as a writer.

STRUCK HIMSELF IN TENDER PLACE.

A. J. Banks, a cook, accidentally stabbed himself in the abdomen with a pocket knife at his home, 631 Adeline street this afternoon. While whittling a stick he began fooling with a friend who pushed Banks' hand which held the knife backward inflicting a wound half an inch deep.

Banks at first bandaged the wound himself but fearing the consequences, came to the receiving hospital this afternoon for treatment. The wound is not serious.

Banks is 45 years of age and a native of Missouri.

YOSEMITE BY SEARCHLIGHT.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—President Roosevelt will be treated to a rare scene of beauty when he visits the Yosemite. He will see the famous valley at night illuminated by a powerful searchlight, from one of the United States battleships now at Mare Island, which will be received at the Navy Yard in a few days.

EPISCOPALIAN TO KEEP NAME

PHILADELPHIA, May 6.—The proposition to change the name of the Protestant Episcopal Church was reported unfavorably by the committee at today's session of the convention of the Church of the Diocese of Pennsylvania. The committee recommended the adoption of the following resolutions:

"Resolved, That in the opinion of the Diocese of Pennsylvania, any change in the name of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States would be inexpedient. The convention will vote on the question later in the day."

DELEGATES TO RED CROSS CONVENTION.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The delegates to represent the United States at the International conference at Genoa for the purpose of revising and extending the Geneva treaty of 1864 under which the Red Cross societies are recognized have been designated by the President. As follows: Francis B. Loomis, assistant secretary of State; Gen. Geo. B. Davis, advocate general of the army; and Commander Nathan Sargent, U. S. Navy, whose appointment was announced today.

COAL CARTERS STRIKE.

MONTREAL, May 6.—A hundred coal carters have quit work since yesterday, thereby tying up the retail coal trade. It is unofficially reported that the track men of the Grand Trunk will strike tomorrow.

OVERHAUL ALL POST OFFICES

Extension of Present Inquiry to all Large Offices.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—A far-reaching extension of the present investigation of the affairs of the post-office department, to include the overhauling of most of the large post-offices in the country, is in contemplation. This statement was made today by Postmaster-General Payne.

Mr. Payne said that the increase of \$50,000 of the appropriation for contingent expenses of his own office were made for the purpose of investigating the affairs of departments along the lines but, he admitted, it was not at that time anticipated that the investigation would prove so sensational.

The details of the proposed general investigation, he said, have not yet been formulated owing to the fact that all efforts are now being concentrated on the investigation now in hand.

PROSTRATED OVER LOSS OF ONLY SON.

WM. WALSH JR. SUCCEUMS TO SEVERE ATTACK OF DIPHTHERIA.

Death has entered the happy home of Wm. Walsh, at 1334 Fourteenth street, West Oakland and taken from him his only son, Wm. Walsh Jr., twelve years of age. The lad was a pupil of St. Joseph's School in West Oakland and in some way contracted diphtheria, which resulted in his death. The family are prostrated over the sad affair and can hardly reconcile themselves to their loss.

Wm. Walsh Sr. has conducted a grocery business at Perinita and Seventeenth streets for the past twenty-five years and is a highly respected member of the community in which he resides. Both he and Mrs. Walsh are heartbroken over what was his place to do and he gave the children they cannot take the place of their only boy.

FIRST CHERRIES OF THE SEASON.

New cherries are in the market. For early fruit they are good quality, and retail at thirty cents a pound.

TODAY'S SPORTING NEWS. BASEBALL.

EASTERN BASEBALL.				
At St. Louis: Cleveland game postponed; rain.				
At New York:				
Philadelphia	.....	R. H. E.	10	2
New York	.....	R. H. E.	1	6
At Boston:				
Washington	.....	R. H. E.	3	1
Boston	.....	R. H. E.	1	11
At Pittsburg:				
Chicago	.....	R. H. E.	11	3
Pittsburg	.....	R. H. E.	4	10

MAY BE VICTIM OF FOUL PLAY.

County Clerk Cook today received a letter from Officer J. L. Butler of the Los Angeles Police Station, in which Butler writes as follows:

"Will you please inform me if a marriage license was issued from your office prior to April 4 to a man giving the name of Vincent, and Ethel Crowley? Mrs. Crowley left here April 1 for Kansas City. She wrote her parents from San Francisco, under date 4-5, that she was married 4-3 and would leave immediately for New York, since which time no trace of her can be found."

"Her friends fear that she may be the victim of some schemer and are very much worried over the affair."

"I write this at the request of her sister, and hope you will be kind enough to look this matter up at your earliest convenience and oblige me with an answer."

No license was granted in Oakland to persons of the names given.

READY TO MEET CHIEF.

State's Delegation Now in Redland's—Pardee's Position.

REDLANDS, May 6.—The special train bearing the Legislative Committee which has come to greet President Roosevelt upon his arrival here tomorrow, arrived here from San Francisco at 11 o'clock today.

Governor Pardee and members of his staff were already domiciled in the hotel where the Legislative Committee also took quarters.

A DRIVE.

The program for today included a drive for the Governor and members of the committee to Smiley Heights and through orange groves. This evening Governor Pardee and the Committee will hold a public session. Although the Governor continues to protest that his coming in advance of the Legislative Committee, indicated no friction between himself and the legislators, assertion is made that some members of the committee still feel that an affront was intended. This, however, is not evident today and the Governor and the legislators are apparently on the best of terms.

"I went to Los Angeles, saw Mr. Wiggins and then came over to Redlands. I am here to follow out the program, as far as I know. I do not intend to have a row. The committee can do as much talking as they want to, but it takes two to make a row."

It may be fancied that the statement of the Governor concerning the request of General Stone and the members of the staff to be allowed to accompany him will not sit well upon the feelings of the military worthies, for General Stone tells a somewhat varying story of the matter.

GENERAL STONE.

"The Governor," said General Stone, who is adding a side-camp to his chief, "thought it eminently proper to take his staff with him. Why, he said that if his staff was not to go with him to greet the President of the United States there was no use for a staff at all and he would have abolished it."

"The Governor" can make a showing that will put the people on his side and the Legislative Committee had better not press this matter too far. But it is not his desire to go into a quarrel. He did what he had a perfect right to do and what was his place to do and he gave the committee due notice."

EXPENSES.

"I wish to deny the rumor" that the Governor is taking money from his contingent expense fund to pay the expenses of the trip for the staff. The members of the staff are paying their own way. They always have, and they will continue to do so. They buy their own uniforms and pay their hotel bills and railroad fare."

"The Governor made a mistake in ever becoming the guest of the committee. He is the first man of the State and it is his place to deliver the address. This will do, and of course President Roosevelt will recognize him."

BLAMES COMMITTEE.

"We wanted to attach a car or two to the Legislative special and the railroad company was willing to do it for us, but the committee would not have it. The committee was to blame for all that went wrong. But the whole matter is to be allowed to rest here. We will go along with the legislators. I suppose, and follow out the original program."

AHEAD OF TIME.

The lawmakers were in advance of schedule time and were forced to wait their train until 10:30, when the citizens arrived in carriages and escorted them to the hotel. The Governor was sitting on the veranda when the party drew up and he seemed to be in the best of humor. Several of the committee members, notably Ralston, Plisk and Belshav were somewhat cool in their greeting to the chief, but on the surface no ripple of anger was allowed to appear.

GOVERNOR TALKS.

"I had just appointed Frank Wiggins of Los Angeles as a St. Louis Fair Commissioner. The time for the organization of the fair is so short, and I found it necessary to go to Los Angeles in advance of the Legislative Committee to confer with him. I accordingly notified Chairman Fisk of my intention and the Monday took the Owl. The refusal of the Committee to take my staff did not enter into the matter at all."

"Sunday General Stone called me up by phone from Benicia and asked me what I was going to do. I told him I was going on the Owl. He asked me if he and the members of the staff could accompany me."

PRISONER COMMITS SUICIDE IN CELL.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 6.—Ludwig Zelawski, a prisoner charged with the murder of Anna Heffner and the serious wounding of her husband, committed suicide in his cell today by hanging.

BERAKS WORLD'S AUTOMOBILE RECORD.

CLEVELAND, O., May 6.—Alexander Winton, in a trial run with his gasoline automobile, "Bullet," covered nine miles at "downhill" track in one minute and two seconds, or one-fourth of a second better than the world's record, today. Winton will enter the 500 mile race for the Gordon Bennett international cup in Ireland July 2.

GRAND COURT FORESTERS ATTENDS FUNERAL.

SANTA CRUZ, May 6.—This morning the Grand Court of the Foresters of America attended the funeral of Kusanm Crenitich from the Catholic church, to where they sent a magnificent floral piece. A short business session was held, at which the reports of officers were referred to committees.

HIS FATE IN BALANCE.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 6.—The case of Ex-Mayor Ames, charged with bribery. This morning County Attorney Knight, this morning County Attorney F. H. Boardman made his closing address to the jury, reviewing the evidence submitted by the State.

SAID NOTHING ABOUT THEIR LINES.

HARRIMAN SAYS HE NEEDS MORE MEN FOR THE S. P. ROAD.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—President Harriman of the Southern Pacific Company, referring to his conference with H. E. Huntington, said today: "I do not wish to be placed in the position of denying anything. It would be undertaking too large a contract to deny or affirm all that is published about one's affairs."

"It is true that Mr. Huntington came here to see me. We had matters of importance to discuss, and I had tried to see him before. We met and there was nothing said about Los Angeles franchises. I have no appointment with Mr. Huntington to-day."

Mr. Harriman stated that he expected to get away in a few days. He could not tell how soon he would reach New York but said that it could be as soon as possible as he was going abroad this summer. The President was asked as to the truth of the rumors that there were to be wholesale removals in the forces of various departments.

"I have certainly no such step in contemplation," said he. "I do not see how it can be done. As a matter of fact, instead of lessening the force, we need more help to carry on the company's business."

IMPORTANT MOVE OF MACHINISTS.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 6.—The International Machinists Convention today decided to abolish the referendum clause in its constitution with respect to conventions, and decided to meet bi-annually.

The convention resolved to extend jurisdiction to "Specials" in shops. While "Specials" are not machinists, they comprise a large part of the city shops and will be taken in under certain conditions, the membership being of an auxiliary character.

SHAMROCK III'S TRIALS POSTPONED.

GLASGOW, May 6.—The renewal of the trials of the Shamrock III was again postponed today owing to the inclement weather.

FAILED FOR \$27,474.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—A petition in bankruptcy was filed in the United States Circuit Court today by John Compas, a mining man of this city. His liabilities amount to \$27,474, while he has no assets.

MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, May 6.—Consols, 92 1/2-16; Silver, 12d.

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FOR SALE—Stock in blacksmith shop worth \$200 for \$75. Must be sold immediately; going away. Call at shop next door to 4-mile house, San Leandro road.

ON pianos, furniture and other personal property without publicity. W. F. O'Sullivan, in rear office, 60 8th st.

LOST—Monday, May 4, a gold pin with pearl setting on San Pablo avenue, near 19th st. Return to 336 Telegraph ave.

LOST—Small alligator purse, Monday, May 4, 1903, going from 13th and Broadway to Elmhurst, on two o'clock Haywards car. Finder please return to 418 8th street. Reward.

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GLASS' FLEET IS IN PORT.

Arrives to Take Part in Reception to President.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—The squadron of the Pacific, in command of Rear Admiral Glass, arrived this afternoon after an absence of several months in Central American waters. The arrival of the fleet was timed so as to participate in the reception to President Roosevelt, and its coming was hailed as that of the advance agent of the nation's head.

Early in the morning news of the approaching squadron was heralded by the observer of the Marine Exchange, and crowds went out to the beach to witness the advent of the fleet. It was the first note of enthusiasm that has gone up in this city since the President started on his tour through the West. Up to that time the coming of the Presidential party seemed far away. People appeared to be forgetful of the fact that the chief executive will be our own after to-morrow, for at noon he is scheduled to set foot on California soil.

True, the Governor and the Colonels and the Legislative committee are all at Redlands to extend a glorious welcome to the chief to the land of sunshine and flowers, but Redlands is far away, and the people here are reserving their enthusiasm for the entertainment in this city.

So the coming of Admiral Glass' fleet was the signal for the show to begin, and from now on the people will be in a state of nervous expectation, regarding the growing preparations for the President's reception with increasing interest and pride.

AMERICAN NAVY LEAGUE FORMED.

NEW YORK, May 6.—A meeting to interest the public in the movement recently started for an American Navy League was held to-day by the Maritime Association of this port, and addresses were made by General B. F. Tracy, president of the league, and Wm. McAdoo.

"More and more," said General Tracy, "the American people are getting to know that a strong and efficient navy is the first guarantee of peace with other nations." It was recalled that the Navy League of Germany has gained a membership of 600,000, which had so influenced opinion that the Kaiser was enabled to carry out his plans for a greater navy.

GRAND ARMY MAN DIES AT SACRAMENTO

SACRAMENTO, May 6.—Charles C. Brown, an old and wealthy citizen of Sacramento, died today. Deceased was a native of Ohio, aged 77 years. He was a member of the Grand Army of the Republic and father of Jay R. Brown, Justice of the peace of Sacramento township.

AMERICAN FIRMS IN PRUSSIA.

BERLIN, May 6.—A dispatch to the "Lokal Anzeiger" from Osnabrueck, Prussia, says a syndicate of American firms with a capital of \$500,000 is erecting a factory there for the manufacture of photographic paper.

DIED.

BAMFORD.—In East Oakland, Mrs. Cornelia Elizabeth Bamford, widow of the late Dr. William Bamford, and mother of Mary E. Bamford, aged 71 years 10 months 25 days.

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BASEBALL
BOXING
CYCLING

FITZGERALD GOES TO TRAINING PLACE.
FIGHTER FEELS IN GOOD SHAPE BUT WILL DO ONLY LIGHT WORK FOR PRESENT.

SPORTS

JIM CORBETT WILL BE CHAMPION.
BIG FIGHTER SAYS HE WILL TAKE THE LAURELS IN FRISCO FIGHT.

BARBER AND SALOON-MAN WILL DECIDE A BET SUNDAY MORNING.

Yesterday Willie Fitzgerald took up his quarters at Sheehan's at the beach for the second time this year and commenced his preparation for the fight with Joe Gans on May 29th. Owing to the sprained hand, which is mending nicely, Fitzgerald will do no boxing for at least ten days, but will devote himself to light work with the view of keeping his muscles firm and his legs in good condition. Fitzgerald is already in good condition from the training for the fight with Britt, and his manager thinks it wiser for his man to do light work now and keep in condition. For the next two weeks his work will be principally runs on the road. Fitzgerald is doing light work and seems to be in the best of spirits when preparing himself for a fight.

Fitzgerald accompanied Fitz to the beach and will be his trainer and general utility man.

An offer has come from Louisville to fight for a match with Art Simms and as soon as the Louisville people get down to weight, terms and date, Jimmy will talk business with them. Although he cannot accept any offer for a couple of months, on account of a partially closed agreement to meet Jack O'Keefe in June at Butte.

Eddie Tooy and Young Mensie have been matched for a go in June which will take place in Portland. The Tooy-Herrera match which was to have taken place at Butte has fallen through and Tooy is consequently disappointed and disgusted. His match with Mensie should be a good one as the latter is a clever man and outpointed Young Corbett in a four round bout at Portland about two weeks ago.

Harry Foley and Billy Woods are matched to meet before the County Club of Los Angeles on May 18th and will weigh 155 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Ed Granger has received no official notice of his second fight with the Gun-Francis fight at Portland on the 13th. It is doubtful if he will accept as there is no sign to him of the fight and he is of the opinion that he will be better off if he gives them a wide berth.

There will be some hot fighting in the Mechanics' Pavilion annex to-morrow night when the Lincoln Athletic Club will bring off a boxing card. Top-George Peterson and Tom McGrath will battle for the welter-weight championship. Joe Carroll and Dick Hyland will be the main attraction in the amateur ranks. There will be four other good contests. Frank Media and Jack O'Brien are to meet at 115 pounds; Jack Burt and Billy Doherty at 125; Tom O'Neil and James Linger at 118 pounds; and George Pills and Billy Danahar at 130 pounds. Milton Hayes will be referee.

SPORTING NOTES.

The freshmen baseball team of St. Mary's College again defeated the Commercial team yesterday by the score of 5 to 1 by a batting rally in the ninth inning. As the Freshmen have won the series with both the Sophomores and Commercial, they are assured of winning the inter-class trophy presented by the Athletic Association of the college. Their next game will determine the series with the Junior class.

The Iver Johnsons baseball team is anxious to be challenged by any amateur team whose age will average fifteen years. They will play only on Sunday. Their line-up is as follows: Pitcher, Harry Olberg; catcher, Paul Friedman; first base, Joseph Dolan; second base, Joseph Molock; third base, John White; short stop, Frank Cullen; left field, Joseph O'Neil; right field, Charles Gibson; center field, Arthur Gibson. All challenges are to be addressed to Chas. Gibson, 716 Jackson street, Oakland.

The California emigrants to the national league have all made good and especially pitchers Schmidt and Jones, who have been doing excellent work for Brooklyn. On Monday, Schmidt shut out his opponents and yesterday Jones was the pitcher for the large end of a 5 to 2 score.

The peerless cut defender Columbia has demonstrated that in a light weight class he is a better boxer and a better boxer than the new Herreshoff cut yacht Reliance. Starting yesterday from a position to leeward and slightly astern of the Reliance the Columbia sailed through the new boat's lee, luffed on her bow and in the next leg of a mile and a half increased her lead to nearly a quarter of a mile. The Reliance then withdrew.

SAM M'VEY DID UP KID CARTER.
BROOKLYN LAD OUTCLASSED BY COLORED BOY FROM THE BEET DISTRICT.

MURDERED OVER HIS BOOKS.
BANK CASHIER IS SHOT TWICE THROUGH THE BODY IN CHARLOTTE.

Sam McVey, the Oxnard colored heavyweight, knocked out Kid Carter of Brooklyn, at Los Angeles last night in the eleventh round of a twenty-round contest. The dusky fighter had mean the best of the fight from the start and seemed to be able to finish it at any stage of the game.

In the second round McVey reached Carter's jaw with his right, which made him groggy. The opportune arrival of the minute's rest between the rounds gave him a chance to recuperate, but he was outclassed and was on the defensive throughout.

During the ninth Carter went to the floor twice for the count. In the eleventh and last round, McVey put a right to Carter's jaw, which laid him on his back.

Carter managed to stagger to his feet before the count of ten, but was helpless and went down and out immediately after from a right and left to the jaw.

Carter scored a great deal of punishment and his spirit broke down when he was hit by the right to the jaw. He showed himself to be much improved in his style of fighting over his last appearance with Jack Johnson.

NEW ORGAN FOR CHURCH.
The new organ, the new pipe organ for the First Methodist Church, was signed last night by the trustees of the church. The new organ will cost \$5000, and under the terms of the contract it must be in place for use by August 15.

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MAY BREAK INTO THE ASYLUM YET.

Hugo Lindemann, the ex-deputy county constable, who was arrested yesterday on a charge of insanity preferred by his wife, was examined before the Lunacy Commissioners, Judge Hall and Drs. Medrose and Pratt in Department No. 4 of the Superior Court today.

Lindemann's wife, who failed to appear against him yesterday, was present today in response to a subpoena served upon her. She testified that Lindemann, who had been drinking heavily, had threatened to kill her on February 1st last.

After further evidence the Commissioners decided that Lindemann was of sound mind. Judge Hall discharged him, remarking: "You are not insane now, but I would advise you to leave the asylum or you will be in the asylum before very long."

EXCURSIONISTS FROM THE EASTERN STATES.

The Oakland Board of Trade had the following as its guests on the "All-Day-for-a-Dollar Excursion": Theo. Mansfield, New York; P. Johnson, New York; Willis M. Ames, Salt Lake City; Ira Jackson, New York; Ellen E. Walker, Indianapolis, Ind.; M. E. Bruce, Indianapolis, Ind.; Mrs. L. S. Barbour, Oakland; Mrs. Laura T. Shaw, Oakland; O. L. Howard and wife, Red Oak, Ia.; Miss M. E. Gunn, Red Oak, Ia.; Helen M. Howard, Red Oak, Ia.; A. M. Shipman and wife, Emerson, Iowa; Chas. R. Clark, Montgomery, Ia.; J. R. Wray, Boone, Iowa; Besse Cary, Boone, Iowa.

SHE WILL STILL PLAY GOLF.
SOCIAL EVENTS IN SPRING

MARRIAGES AND PARTIES TAKE UP TIME OF WELL KNOWN PEOPLE.



One of the first and prettiest weddings of the season was that of Miss Mabel Ruch and Harrison S. Robinson, which took place last night at Trinity Episcopal Church. About 400 friends witnessed the marriage. The church was very prettily decorated and the colors were pink, white and green. Exquisite floral decorations formed a background for the bride and groom. The bride wore a gown of white tulle and lace with a pattern of pink roses—over an under-dress of white silk. She carried a bouquet of pink roses.

The bride was handsomely gowned in white tulle, lace and pearls. The bride's attendant and maid of honor was her sister, Mrs. Lulu Ruch, whose gown was of silk mauve—white with a pattern of pink roses—over an under-dress of white silk. She carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Miss Arline Humphreys of San Francisco and Miss Lily Moller of Oakland were the bridesmaids. They were dressed alike in pink gauze over white silk, and carried bouquets of maidenhair and asparagus fern.

Nash Atwater attended the groom, and Jack O'Brien of San Francisco and John Eshleman of Berkeley acted as ushers. While the guests were waiting the bride party, several beautiful vocal selections were rendered by Madam Peck. "Waiting" being sung just before the appearance of the bride.

Following the ceremony a small reception and dinner was given at the bride's home on Maple street. The house was adorned with lovely pink and white blossoms, and the bride's table was especially artistically decorated with orange blossoms.

The bride is very accomplished and has a sweet and lovable disposition, which has won for her a host of friends. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ruch of this city. The bride and groom are both graduates of the University of California. Mr. Ruch, the father of the bride, is well known in the business circles of San Francisco, and is a large contractor and builder.

The groom is a promising young lawyer of this city, who since his graduation from Hastings Law College, has been associated with his brother in the law firm of Robinson & Robinson.

The young couple have departed on a short honeymoon trip, and after their return will make their home in the pretty little cottage now being built on Thirty-seventh street.

ENTERTAINERS WHIST CLUB.

Yesterday afternoon at the Piedmont Club House, Mrs. Charles Sutton and Mrs. J. W. Tompkins entertained the members of the whist club. What was played at all afternoon and among the players were: Mrs. Edson Adams, Mrs. Ande A. Moseley, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Arthur Crellin, Mrs. M. G. Kelly, Mrs. J. W. Tompkins, Mrs. Robert Knight, Mrs. Minor Goodall, Mrs. Lillian Brown Everts, Mrs. Charles Houghton, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. M. W. Kain, Mrs. Charles Ellis, Mrs. J. W. Kain, Mrs. Frank Adams, Mrs. Victor H. Metcalf, Mrs. N. A. Acker, Mrs. J. R. Burnham, Mrs. F. M. Mathews, Mrs. John L. Howard, Mrs. Henry Meek, Mrs. Hayward Thomas and Mrs. Egbert Stone.

MISS MABEL GAGE ENTERTAINED

The "at home" given yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frederick L. Stolp on Vernon Heights in honor of Miss Mabel Gage, was quite an elaborate affair. The decorations of trailing ivy, red and white roses and quantities of beautiful spring blossoms were most exquisitely and artistically arranged. A very delightful afternoon was spent as is always the case at Mrs. Stolp's.

Miss Gage was gowned in a beautiful dainty spring costume and looked very lovely.

Mrs. Stolp was assisted in receiving by the Misses Nicholson, Mrs. Albert Long, Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld in white point d'esprit, Miss Anita Lohse in pale blue, Miss Carolyn Oliver in blue and white, Mrs. John Charles Adams, Mrs. Francis Musser, Mrs. Wickham Havens in pale blue, Mrs. Edward Engls in white, Mrs. Montel, Taylor, Mrs. Louise Allender in black net, Mrs. De Golla, Mrs. Selby Martin, Mrs. George Hammer, Miss Alma Brown, and Mrs. E. J. Corbett. Among the callers were: Mrs. George H. Wheaton, Miss Ella Sterrett, Mrs. A. H. Marx, Mrs. M. E. Davidson, Mrs. Robert M. Fitzgerald, Miss Mona Crellin, Mrs. Frank Richardson Wells, Miss Florence Hush, Miss Lillian Brown Everts, Mrs. M. G. Kelly, Mrs. J. W. Tompkins, Mrs. Robert Knight, Mrs. Minor Goodall, Mrs. Lillian Brown Everts, Mrs. Charles Houghton, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. M. W. Kain, Mrs. Charles Ellis, Mrs. J. W. Kain, Mrs. Frank Adams, Mrs. Victor H. Metcalf, Mrs. N. A. Acker, Mrs. J. R. Burnham, Mrs. F. M. Mathews, Mrs. John L. Howard, Mrs. Henry Meek, Mrs. Hayward Thomas and Mrs. Egbert Stone.

STOCKHOLDERS STILL SUIING GOLDEN MINING COMPANY.
NO. 1001.

Some of the stockholders who once held shares in the old Golden Mining Company No. 1001 are still endeavoring to prove that they were defrauded out of that stock by sharp practice on the part of the directors of the company. The plaintiffs in the action are Emil Schlett, Margaret M. Bunnell, Myra Richardson, John H. McGaughran, S. E. Horston, Leopold, Otto and William Schlett. The directors named as defendants are James R. Little, Edward H. Morgan, Oscar H. Neuhaus, Charles E. Hill, and Asa V. Mendonca.

This is the second action brought by the stockholders against the directors. While a former action was brought for the recovery of 61,000 shares of stock alleged to have been fraudulently appropriated, the directors levied an assessment of 10 cents a share on all of the stock of the company. The minority stockholders refused to pay the assessment and their stock was advertised for sale on November 6 last. An attempt was made to prevent the sale through injunction proceedings, but the directors evaded service of the papers. The sale was made and the directors bought in all of the stock of the company.

The minority stockholders claim that the assessment was illegal, not having been levied for the running expenses of the mine, and claim that only the sum of \$110 was collected on the assessment. It is asked that the assessment, sale of stock be set aside and that the directors be enjoined from disposing of any of the property.

NATIONAL POLICY IN PHILIPPINES.

NEW YORK, May 6.—The Daily Mail today publishes the first of a series of letters from Percival Landon, its special correspondent, showing the American failure in the Philippines, cables the World's representative. Mr. Landon declares that the American campaign has made no impression on the islands; that the firing line is co-extensive with the coast line and that a feeling of utter insecurity prevails at headquarters. The correspondent asserts that in a country depending entirely upon agriculture for its prosperity the land is being largely abandoned. He says it is time for the United States to decide whether or not it might be reconsideration of its policy of the past few years.

MEXICAN CENTRAL ELECTION.

BOSTON, May 6.—At the annual meeting of the Mexican Central Railway, E. C. Creel, banker, of Mexico, was elected a director to succeed Richard Olney of Boston, resigned. There was no further change in the board.

A NEW GROCERY FIRM.

LARGE GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORE ESTABLISHED ON CALIFORNIA STREET.

G. T. Jones & Co. have formed a co-partnership company for the purpose of carrying on a general merchandise business. They handle everything from the market supplies, except liquors. From them you can purchase anything from a needle to a chair. The firm is composed of five men, of much experience and long practice who are capable of handling all parts of the business, and know how to please customers. G. T. Jones and Ben Jones have long handled general merchandise while G. H. Lincoln and Geo. L. Lincoln are pioneer grocers. Harry McDonald is a buyer and an experienced all around man. They have been advertising very extensively and are building up a large city and country business. They are especially working for the country trade and claim to be an up-to-date mail order house. They send their catalogues every week. Any one sending them an order by mail will have their goods delivered to them promptly. They are located at 214 California street, corner Market, San Francisco, one block from the ferry.

KILLED VICTIM AND THEN FLED.

NEW YORK, May 6.—William McMahon was shot and almost instantly killed in Hamilton street yesterday. His slayer, said to be Patrick, alias "John" Shea, an ex-convict, escaped immediately after the shooting and has not yet been captured. According to the story of witnesses of the shooting, McMahon had no warning. He was grasped by the neck and a revolver thrust in his face. The cause of the shooting from what the police can learn was apparently a fight between the two men on Sunday evening, when Shea was badly burned.

WOULD BE HIS GUARDIAN.

Ida E. Kramer has petitioned the Superior Court to be appointed guardian for her father, Henry Kramer, in an action instituted by William E. Reid and Eliza E. Reid against Henry Kramer, Sarah Kramer, "J. Doe" and "R. Roe." Kramer is an inmate of the State Asylum at Napa. The petition will be heard in Department No. 2 on Friday, the 15th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M.

for the occasion, and the tables were adorned with greens and flowers. Each guest, as he or she entered, was given a badge of blue or red, bearing the inscription, "Union Street Sunday School, and the new pupils were designated by a badge of white. A program of songs and recitation entertained the young people while supper was being served, and the officers, teachers and pupils were much gratified with the outcome of the contest.

The Union Street Sunday school has grown both in membership and interest under the superintendence of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Vance, and is becoming an important factor in the development of the young life of West Oakland.

VANCE AFFAIR A SUCCESS.

The Young Women's Christian Association held a meeting yesterday morning at 1424 Franklin street, which was attended by an enthusiastic gathering. After the regular business, the treasurer gave the latest receipts from the "Trip Around the World" given at the Vance residence. Three hundred dollars is in sight for the East End Building fund, a good prospect for more. A rising vote of thanks was given to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Vance, and their daughter, Miss Apphia Vance, who were so generous in offering their clean home and valuable services for the benefit of this worthy cause.

Elizabeth Dow Yorker, and the chairman of the committees and the ladies who assisted in making the entertainment a success, were also extended the hearty thanks of the Association, and were also the members of the press, and all who had contributed their services.

The secretary reported that plans and specifications for the Social Settlement were ready for the contractors.

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Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors held on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1933, an assessment of twenty-five cents per share or five per cent on each one hundred dollars was levied upon the subscribed capital stock of the corporation, payable on or before the 10th day of May, 1933, in full. The delinquent shareholders are hereby notified that the assessment for said company, at its office, No. 967 Broadway, in the city of Oakland, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 10th day of June, 1933, will be delinquent and advertisement for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Tuesday, June 30th, 1933, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors,

JAMES E. CLAND, Secretary.

Office, No. 967 Broadway, Oakland, Cal. Oakland, Cal., May 6th, 1933.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Sidney H. Wilson, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Sidney H. Wilson, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit the same to the undersigned, at his office, at 967 Broadway, in the city of Oakland, California, on or before the 10th day of June, 1933, at which time and place all claims will be considered and adjusted.

SARAH H. WILSON, Administrator of the estate of Sidney H. Wilson, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, May 4th, 1933.

CLASS MEDALIST IS HEARD FROM

BERKELEY, May 6.—Wesley Hohfeld, medalist of the class of 1901, and now a student in the Harvard Law School, has been appointed editor of "Recent Cases," for the Harvard Law Review. This is considered a great honor.

ISLE WHIST CLUB MEETS.

The Isle City Whist Club had an enjoyable time last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore W. Laydecker, at 925 Santa Clara Avenue. The first prize was won by T. W. Laydecker, and Mrs. George N. Leavitt won the first prize for ladies. The consolation trophy was awarded to James Hamby.

END OF MEMBERSHIP CONTEST.

Last Friday night, the Union Street Presbyterian church was the scene of a happy gathering, when the 200 children of the Sunday school sat down to an elaborate banquet. The occasion was the outcome of a membership contest, the members having been waxing warm for the past three or four months.

Soon after the Christmas holidays, the Superintendent, Mr. H. H. Gribben, divided the school into two sections, called the "Blues," and the "Reds," with the agreement that the section that secured the largest number of new scholars for the Sunday school should be banqueted by the losing side. The children have shown a lively interest, and more than thirty new scholars have been received into membership. The Reds were victorious, and the Blues prepared the elaborate menu that greeted the victors on Friday evening. The parlors of the church had been artistically decorated



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FROM MAIDENHOOD TO WOMANHOOD.

The crucial epoch of a woman's life is the change from maidenhood to womanhood. It involves the whole body and manifests itself in the nervous disposition at this time. If womanhood lives close to nature, did not wear corsets, live in heated atmosphere, becoming subject to taking cold easily, she would drift into womanhood naturally and without suffering. Owing, however, to our modes of living and the forced condition of a young girl's brain, the pelvic organs and the brain take up too much of the blood and other organs are left without sufficient nourishment. In this way girls become delicate and the tissues are not sufficiently nourished. Many a mature woman looks back in her troubles and her bad health to this early period. Often the strain is too great and for this reason proper precautions should be taken. Perhaps the mother or daughter have some delicacy about talking with their home physician on these matters. It is then best to consult by letter with a physician of recognized eminence, who has had a medical training fitting for the practice of medicine. It would be very foolish for one to consult some woman who had not a particle of medical training in preference to a physician who is bound on honor not to divulge the confidences reposed in him, and whose training has been thorough in the study of anatomy and materia medica, coupled with a wide experience during nearly half a century, which puts him at the top of the profession. Such an one is Dr. R. V. Pierce, who is at the head of that magnificent hospital in Buffalo, called the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute. You can write him without fear or favor, for he keeps strictly confidential all letters sent to him and he charges nothing for his medical advice, except in a straightforward and logical manner. He will not advise a woman to take medicine unless it is positively necessary.

LEAGUE CADETS TO COMPETE.

COMPANY N WILL ENDEAVOR TO BRING THE TROPHY TO OAKLAND.

"Company N of the League of the Cross Cadets, attached to the St. Francis de Sales' Church, expects to carry off the trophy for the best drilled company in the regiment. The contest will be held in Mechanics' Pavilion, San Francisco, on Thursday evening, May 14.

The San Francisco companies have in former years won the trophy but the Oakland cadets are striving hard to bring the prize to this side of the bay.

The coming contest is the great annual event in Cadet circles. It attracts thousands of spectators who admire the well drilled and manly young soldiers of temperance. Prominent army officers will be present to judge the drill and to lend encouragement to the boys. The cadets undergo a very strict training. They will give exhibitions of skirmish and submachine gun drill, and a grand military concert by their own band and a rendition of all army calls by a corps of fifty buglers and drummers.

The cadets were organized about ten years ago in San Francisco. The members take a pledge to abstain from intoxicating drinks till the age of twenty-one. The regiment has now sixteen companies with a membership of nearly two thousand. Two of these com-

MAYOR OLNEY OPPOSED TO BOOTH-TUCKER IN OAKLAND.

Maintains That it is Wrong to Grant Merchants Permission for Extended Windows.

The Merchants' Exchange held its regular meeting last night and, at its conclusion, there was a conference among the directors and the prominent citizens of Oakland concerning the Fourth of July celebration. The enthusiasm displayed augurs well for the success of their plans.

There was very little business for the exchange to consider.

MAYOR'S VIEWS.

A letter from Mayor Olney to the directors, relative to the recent action of the City Council against overhanging show-windows was read, and on motion of Mr. Arper the exchange was requested to communicate with the Mayor and arrange for his presence at a meeting of the exchange in the near future, when he will present his views on the matter.

The letter read as follows:

"Mayor's Office, Oakland, Cal., April 30.

"Merchants' Exchange, Oakland, Cal. Gentlemen: I noticed in the newspaper that yesterday there was a discussion in your honorable body of the propriety of the city of Oakland permitting show-windows to extend over the sidewalk. I also noticed that no action was taken at the meeting held, but if at any time the question should arise and there should appear to be a strong sentiment in favor of allowing individuals to thus encroach upon the rights of the public, I should be very glad if you would permit me to appear before you to take any action concerning the course of the present city government in the matter of these permanent encroachments.

"RESPECTS MERCHANTS.

"I have so much respect for the merchants of our city that I do not want them to take any action looking towards a condemnation of the city government. We want to act together in the matter of improving Oakland and protecting the rights of all her people. Our municipal government does not represent any class, party or individual, but all the people of Oakland. But you represent such a large class that I think we ought to have a conference before you take any action in opposition to what the government deems right.

"I beg to call your attention to an extract from my Inaugural Message enclosed herewith. Nothing is more obnoxious to me than granting special privileges to anyone, no matter who it is. The only value of such a permit as has been heretofore given by the Council to allow show windows to protrude over the sidewalk is because it is a special license peculiar to the individual to whom it is granted and not open to all the rest of the stores along the street. If the privilege is granted to one it should be granted to all and you can readily see what the result would be. The streets, including the sidewalks, belong to all the public and the adjacent property owner has no more right to encroach thereon by a large eight inches or twelve inches on the sidewalk than the public has to the convenience to take eight inches or twelve inches of the adjoining land from the owner. Special privileges to none ought to be the motto of all governments.

"I recognize the fact that the city itself through its Council, has been at fault in granting these permits, so that there is a divided responsibility. That is to say, the Council by granting the permit violated its trust and was as much at fault as the party who received the benefit.

"MORE THAN WAS GRANTED.

"All these matters will be considered when the question of enforcing the law comes up. But there have been several recent instances where more has been granted than the permit grants, and where the parties had notice that the encroachments will not be allowed. Would not the city authorities be derelict if as trustees for the public, they permitted these violations of the rights not only of the public, but of the adjoining property owners? Respectfully, JOSEPH WARREN OLNEY, Mayor."

MESSAGE UTTERANCES.

The extract from his inaugural address, referred to, is simply a declaration that the new city government must be governed by the wishes of no one class but must administer justice according to all the same rights and privileges.

FIRST FLAG RAISING IN STATE.

Before the regular meeting adjourned Major Sherman presented to the Exchange a picture of the raising of the Stars and Stripes at Monterey in the year 1847, by Commodore Sloat. Major Sherman made a short speech in which he spoke of the importance of keeping alive in our youth the glory of the history of early California. He hinted, too, that legislators and men of office need be looking up and polishing their knowledge on the conditions of this State in her infancy.

Admiral.

through a son of Admiral Grau, traced the Huascar's gunner to Oakland, and after a lapse of many years, and recently the old man was made happy by the receipt on a packet, which, upon being opened, was found contained a silver six-pointed star with the Peruvian coat of arms in gold in the center, duly inscribed with his name. Later, he received a handsome bonus in the shape of several months' pay.

TURKEY CAME AND BROUGHT MONEY.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., May 6.—Stuffed with one dollar bills, one hundred of them, was a turkey that has been received by Mrs. E. C. Adams of this place.

The gift came from Mr. Adams, who had been mysteriously missing seven months. Its stuffing was discovered when the wife started to prepare the fowl for dinner and it will be used to pay the passage of the Adamses, which, Sister, being a Michigan, where the head of the house now resides.

Adams was a carpenter. Just before Thanksgiving times were especially dull and the outlook for a Thanksgiving dinner was very dark. The day of the feast day Adams left his home, saying he would not return until he brought a turkey with him. From that time no word from him was received until the turkey came by express. Pinned to the neck of the bird was a note.

PERU REWARDS AN OLD SOLDIER.

CHARLES MCARTHY REMEMBERED FOR SERVICES RENDERED 25 YEARS AGO.

A long delayed, but better late than never recognition of gallant services rendered by Charles McCarthy of this city to the Peruvian Government twenty-five years ago has just been made by that country and McCarthy is in receipt of a handsome medal and a monetary consideration.

McCarthy was a gunner on the monitor Huascar during the struggle between the countries, and in that capacity he was the hero of the fighting. On October 8, 1879, while the Huascar was steaming slowly down the coast from Antofagasta, bound for Callao, she encountered the entire Chilean fleet, which hemmed her in and attempted to capture her. With a bravery which amounted almost to recklessness, Admiral Grau, her commander, immediately engaged the nearest of the enemy's vessels and for four hours the monitor stood off the entire Chilean fleet, the guns of which swept the form all sides at once. Gallant Admiral Grau, Captain Aguirre, Lieutenant Faure fell in succession, and finally, when but fifty of her crew and officers remained alive, the last remaining lieutenant lowered his flag to the enemy. It was his intention to blow the monitor up with all on board, but he was dissuaded from his purpose by McCarthy. The captured vessel was towed a prize into Valparaiso where her crew were kept prisoners until the close of the war, some months later.

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VISITS PACIFIC SLOPE TO PARTAKE IN JUBILEE ANNIVERSARY.

Commander Booth-Tucker was in Oakland yesterday looking into the local affairs of the Salvation Army. In speaking the matter, he said that every branch of the army work is in a very prosperous condition.

The commander is looking unusually well and is very enthusiastic over the work that his army has accomplished during the last year throughout the United States. His trip to this coast was especially arranged so that he could be present during these anniversary ceremonies. He said that the growth of the army had been far beyond his possible anticipation; that while the spiritual portion had been steadily on the increase, the social part had become a powerful adjunct. The industrial homes had all proven a great success wherever located, and they were constantly being peopled and were being worked to the best advantage. The Home colony near Sausalito, in this State, was producing fine results, and would eventually become one of the finest in the country.

In all, the army has now under its supervision nightly accommodations for 3000 persons, and last year actually provided the poor with 3,000,000 meals. 250,000 Christmas dinners and expended upon the needy poor \$480,000. From all ranks and files of life, the commander stated, they were now finding recruits. One of their adherents to the cause is the famous prize fighter, Billy Smith, who has figured in no less than 108 battles, but who is now an earnest worker and whose wife, a former well-known variety actress, has joined the cause, and with her husband, can be nightly seen in the rank of the army, marching and singing in the streets of Philadelphia. His motto is, "Saved to save."

The commander is accompanied on this trip by Lieutenant Colonel T. W. Scott, assistant national social secretary, who makes his headquarters in New York.

CONFLICT BETWEEN CAPITAL AND LABOR.

NEW YORK, May 6.—At a meeting held under the auspices of the Socialist Literary Society, William T. Mills of Kansas City, principal of the International School of Social Economy, speaking on "The Manufacturers Versus the Trades Unions," declared the working men would never be able to resist the power of the Manufacturers' Association by strike and boycott. It boasts that it would go to Washington and the workingman would be to go there too. If the New York workmen, however, would vote for themselves at home they would not have to send any lobbyists to Washington. One of these days, he said, the workingman would be President and they would have their own Mayor and Governor.

Mr. Mills continued:

"The Manufacturers' Association has come no too soon. It represents as it claims to do, the greatest combination of employers the world has ever known. It has pledged itself to the destruction of the power of trades-unions and to the complete control of the powers of the state for the private benefit of the employers of labor. It boasts that it is open and defiant, secret when that method is most effective and at all times relentless in its warfare. The Manufacturers' Association claims to favor the liberty of the individual worker but the fact is that the worker is utterly without economic liberty except as secured by his organization and in spite of—not with the help of—his employers. It claims to object to coercion but it uses the courts, the police force and the militia and has revised the military laws of the nation for the sole purpose of destroying the peaceable organization of the workers by force, and by force alone."

JACKIES AS BRUISERS.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Midshipmen Wygant and Wallace of the battleship Kearsarge, who had been at odds ever since their ship left the Southern drill grounds for this port, have settled their differences by a pugilistic encounter.

Shortly after the Kearsarge dropped anchor off Tompkinsville the midshipmen got shore leave. It is stated, and clad in their civilian clothes, called a closed carriage and drove to a secluded spot off Staten Island.

There were no seconds, the battle was fought in the darkness with bare fists and it is not known which was victorious. On their return they both exhibited faces badly bruised. They appeared to have reached an amicable settlement. And as a result of the battle the "middles" are confined to their rooms. According to their brother officers they are on the sick list, but it is asserted that "sick list" is mild term for compulsory confinement.

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CLEVELAND OR HEARST.

Senator Hanna's prediction that Grover Cleveland will be nominated for the Presidency next year by the Democrats will command attention, for it comes from a man who is not given to idle talking and who is one of the keenest observers of political currents in this country. His prediction is proof that Bryan's fear of Cleveland's candidacy is well founded. Recently, however, many circumstances indicate that there is a carefully matured plan on foot in the North Atlantic States to put the ex-President to the front again. The tone of the old muckrump and Wall street press indicates it. Tammany Hall has begun cheering his name, and the demonstration when Cleveland appeared at St. Louis gave evidence of preparation.

In the political review of the May number of the Pilgrim, which leans strongly to Bryan and to anti-imperialism, there is an article on "The Cleveland Peril," taking the ground that the trust magnates of the East are working up a sentiment in favor of the ex-President. While bitterly hostile to Cleveland the Pilgrim writer assumes that the plutocratic forces (which he says are deeply offended at Roosevelt) will be able to swing the electoral vote of New York, New Jersey and Connecticut to Cleveland, but he contends that Bryan and his followers will be strong enough to defeat his nomination.

If it be true, as the Pilgrim asserts, that the trust magnates have resolved on Cleveland's nomination he will be nominated despite Bryan's opposition, but carrying New York for him at the polls is a different matter. It is not likely that Cleveland can carry a Northern State against Roosevelt, but his nomination would mean a return to the old Tilden alliance of the Southern and Northeastern Democracy.

If there is a recrudescence of Cleveland it will be largely Bryan's fault. The Nebraska man was the nominee of a convention that openly repudiated Cleveland and the policy of his administration, yet he has never ceased to denounce Cleveland for not supporting him. It has always been a marvel how Bryan could expect the support of a man whom he had denounced as a traitor and disowned in the most positive and set terms, yet Bryan has chosen to consider himself aggrieved, because Cleveland gave him no support. Since Roosevelt's accession to the Presidency, Bryan has been shouting from the housetops that Cleveland was a candidate, and has assailed him every time he appeared in public with a shower of abuse.

Now the country is heartily tired of Bryan and sick of Bryanism. It is equally disgusted with the intemperate abuse Bryan has leveled at the ex-President and his captious denunciation of all the Democratic leaders of prominence who figured in the period when Bryan was looked upon simply as a bright boy from somewhere out West. Thus Bryan's persistent agitation has set in motion what he most dreaded, a new Cleveland boom. It is the reflex action of Bryanism—going from the extreme of radicalism to the extreme of conservatism.

Mr. Cleveland cannot be defeated for the nomination by Bryan shouting against him. If he is really a candidate, Gorman, Hill and Parker will all have to step aside for him, and the only way to stop his course is for Bryan and his followers and the Southern element represented by Watterson to get behind some new man of force and originality with elements of strength peculiarly his own, and nominate him. Such a man they have in William Randolph Hearst, who possesses a personal popularity as wide as the country and which reaches into all parties.

Appearances today indicate that the nomination is between Cleveland and Hearst—neither of whom was regarded as a possibility a year ago.

"The practical joke" George Ade recently played on a newly married couple whose wedding he attended calls to mind Mark Twain's intense hatred of this form of humor. He never speaks in his writings of a practical joke save in terms of indignant scorn. In private conversation his language expresses bitter loathing. When he was a very young man in Nevada he was the victim of some horseplay characteristic of the country in those days, and this experience seems to have intensified his natural antipathy to the form of joking that distresses and humiliates people and often injures them financially or personally. When he began lecturing some of his friends played a practical joke on him in Gold Hill, and to this day he has never forgiven them. It would be interesting to hear him express his opinion of George Ade's little practical jest. The modern fabulist would hardly feel edified in case the veteran humorist should express himself freely.

A Frenchman has figured out that only twenty-three persons in a million will live to be a hundred years. Now if he can only figure which 23 will make the century run he can make his fortune as a life insurance actuary.

STOCKTON'S AWAKENING.

Stockton has just discovered itself. The city became one of the leading centers of trade in the interior almost with the first rush after the discovery of gold in Colorado. It sprang into existence at a bound and no town had brighter prospects in the flush times of the golden era.

Stockton was a lively place in these early days, but somehow it dropped in the rear after the coming of the railroad and the working out of the rich placers in the Southern counties. It became humdrum, slow and nonprogressive. Its business life took on an extreme conservatism. It clung to old ideas and old ways. The changes wrought in other sections were slow in reaching Stockton, and why they came did not meet with a cordial reception.

Yet Stockton has always been well-to-do. It was forehanded even if it was slow. It was the business center of a large agricultural section, a section unusually fertile even for California. In the mountains to the east were rich mines and inexhaustible forests. It had cheap water transportation and enjoyed many natural advantages for manufacturing and trade. Its commerce was always large and prosperous.

Nevertheless the city grew slowly and the march of improvement was scarcely perceptible. The appearance of the city in 1890 differed little from the appearance it presented in 1860. The streets were narrow, dirty and unpaved, the business houses mean, shabby and ancient. The hotels were of the indifferent tavern type of the staging days. The business methods smacked of large leture and extreme caution. A lazy, sleepy air hung over everything, belying the strong, if sluggish, business current that flowed underneath the outward evidences of stagnation.

But a wondrous change has come of recent years. The Stockton of today bears small resemblance to the Stockton of ten years ago. It has waked up and is moving ahead as rapidly as any interior town in the State. The streets have been paved, fine new hotels and modern business blocks erected, new factories established, while bustle and activity have taken the place of the lazy, humdrum ways of the past. A notable improvement is apparent in the church and school architecture and the style of the newer dwellings.

Stockton is up-to-date, and full of vim and vigor. The former lethargy has been succeeded by an aggressive progressiveness. The city is advertising itself abroad, and is pushing its commercial advantages. It has an enterprising Board of Trade and a wide-awake press. It has inaugurated a movement to beautify the highways by planting trees along the public roads. By this act alone Stockton has made itself favorably known to the whole United States. Home seekers are attracted to a country where the people have public spirit enough to plant shade trees by the roadside.

Stockton began to wake up with the building of the Valley Railroad, now the Santa Fe. The building of the road to the Tesla coal mines and the Sierra Railroad, and the mining revival in Tuolumne, Mariposa, Calaveras and Amador counties also stimulated the progressive spirit, which is manifested in municipal improvement and business enterprise.

The awakening is notably apparent in the local papers. Until a comparatively recent date Stockton merchants were proverbially poor advertisers. Now the papers published there are crowded with advertisements. Stockton merchants have at last learned the lesson that though a man may do business without advertising he will do a great deal more business by advertising. So the spirit that paved the streets and built new hotels, schools and factories liberally supports a live and enterprising press.

All this is of interest to us here in Oakland, for we are soon to be connected with Stockton by another railroad, which we have every reason to suppose will be a link in a third transcontinental line. Sweeping aside silurian objections, the Stockton City Council has just granted the Western Pacific a right of way through the city, and the work of construction is now proceeding. Shortly the Oaklander and Stockton by three separate and competing railway lines, all of them traversing the continent. This will bring the two cities into peculiarly close relations, for up to this time the rail connection between them has been exclusively by the Southern Pacific. The coming of the Santa Fe and the Western Pacific will make Oakland and Stockton near neighbors, and establish a community of interest between the two which we trust will be cordially maintained.

The pervasiveness of the Schmitz family in San Francisco is something extraordinary. It seems that a witness cannot be "squared" now without a member of the family being at hand "to see that justice is done."

Ex-Speaker Henderson's interviews in the papers indicate that the quiet of the tomb is not altogether satisfactory.

MILES' PECULIAR METHODS.

As was to have been expected and as Miles probably designed, the anti-imperialist editors are chewing over General Miles' Philippine report as a choice morsel. They always allude to it as "the suppressed report" which is characteristic of anti-imperialist candor and fairness. The Springfield Republican closes a long preamble by saying, "what is related by General Miles is largely confirmatory of what had before become known."

That practically tells the whole story. Miles took advantage of his position to make a gratuitous report concerning military operations he was (wisely) not allowed to direct. This report is mainly a narrative of events long past which have been made public and dealt with, in the ordinary course of affairs, and was designed to reflect on the War Department and the conduct of military operations in the Philippines.

There was no reason why it should have been made public. It was simply filed in the War Department as a matter of course. It called for no action.

But the anti-imperialist press knew their business. They knew what the report contained. If they were not given the tip direct, they knew Miles and the Miles' antics and the Miles' methods. They vociferously clamored for the publication of the suppressed report, and when the War Department made it public gloated over its details as if something new had been revealed.

The Springfield Republican says "The whole course of Secretary Root and his department has been one of evasion, concealment, deception, misrepresentation, flat denial of what was later proved true and flat assertion of what was later proved false."—a half dozen terms to express the same thing. This was piling up synonyms to make out a stronger case. But we come to the real spirit of this pretended official report and its anti-imperialist boosters in this paragraph:

"It hints at the application of efforts on the part of the commanding Philippine officials to prevent the general of the army from seeing and hearing more of the war department's policy of concealment and darkness would permit. And it further intimates that the course of torture, murder and devastation was pursued under the eyes and with the consent, if not the orders, of the commanding generals in many cases."

Yes indeed, "it hints" at all sorts of dire things and "intimates" that the commanding generals sanctioned torture and murder and devastation.

The Republican continues:

"Thus at one place General Miles noticed that the country 'appeared to be devastated' and the people 'much depressed.' A party of citizens referred to him that they had suffered harsh treatment, that fifteen of them had been tortured by the water cure, that one man, a highly respected citizen, had been burned to death while unconscious from the torture, and that six hundred of the natives had been imprisoned in a building so small that several had died of suffocation. General Miles asked that a written statement be sent him, but it never came, and he adds these significant words: 'Whether any influence was brought to bear to prevent their statement, either by persuasion or coercion, I am not prepared to say at the present time.' Yet he had no reason to disbelieve what was told him because his informants were Filipinos, who had probably been firing on American soldiers from ambush. True to his mission, General Miles intimated that the failure of his Filipino informants to furnish proof of their assertions was due to the machinations of the American officers."

Here we have at once an illustration of the character and spirit of the report, and at the same time the ulterior purpose for which it was designed to be used. It is simply a partisan political document gotten up in the guise of a report by the general of the army who has axes to grind.

WITH THE BOOKMEN.

Mr. Humphrey Ward, who has written the novel of the decade in "Lady Rose's Daughter," has been charged with plagiarism. Few successful authors escape this charge because literature is so vast and writers have been so many that it is difficult to imagine a situation or a literary etching that does not bear some sort of resemblance to something else in the domain of letters. The resemblance may only be a casual one as to some particular feature or character, or it may go no farther than a mere intellectual suggestion; yet, it lays the writer open to the accusations of superstitious critics, mostly of the morbid, unsuccessful type.

Some jaundiced bookworm has found a fancied resemblance between "Lady Rose's Daughter" and the "Letters of Mlle de L'Espinas," translated by Katherine Prescott Wormeley, and has charged Mrs. Ward with flogging the character of Julie Le Breton and her peculiar status in society from the L'Espinas, who was herself a real person and no less than she should have been. So was her mother, as was Lady Rose.

Caroline H. Hall of Washington takes up the cudgels vigorously in defense of Mrs. Ward in a keenly analytical letter to the Springfield Republican. In this letter it is clearly shown that the resemblance is purely superficial in certain minor particulars, but Mrs. Hall acquits the distinguished English authoress of plagiarism on the ground that situations and suggestions are the raw material, out of which great geniuses evolve their creative work.

"Plagiarism!" she exclaims. "Where did Shakespeare and his Hamlet, his Macbeth, his Katharine of Aragon? Where his Shylock and Portia? Where did Scott unearth Dickens' Foster, Rob Roy? Lord George Gordon? Where, to come down to later times, did Weir Mitchell find Hugh Wynne?"

A real plagiarism is a very rare thing. Sometimes a word lingers in the memory, and if it has held a thought already in the author's mind, the happy phrase slips very likely into quotation, from the writer's pen; but even that is rare, and when a plagiarism is deliberate it is witness to the thief's poverty. Are we likely to bring such a charge against Mrs. Ward, who has given us in "Lady Rose's Daughter" the finest issue of the last half-century?

To borrow a situation is common to all the writers I have mentioned, but who charges plagiarism on any one of them? In the "Merchant of Venice" Shakespeare borrows more boldly than any other writer to us. Do we think less of him for that? No; the tools are for them who care to use them. Straparola di Caravaggio was an Italian novelist, an imitator of Boccaccio, of whom we know nothing except that he was living in 1554, when the second volume of his "Tales" was published. It is said that the name we know him by was an academic name, and does not reveal his personality. It means literally a "great" or "extravagant talker," and oddly enough he was himself a plagiarist, borrowing his situations from a large number of sources. His imagination was extravagant, and as his "Novelle" are not pleasant reading for delicate minds, he interests one only as one of the proofs that Shakespeare was in Italy, and when there, very shortly after Straparola's death, stole from him the story of the Jew and the lost rings of Nerissa and Portia. Whether Straparola stole them from legend or history I do not know, but let the critics remember what Shakespeare has become to the whole world while the Italian still waits an introduction.

The action that Shakespeare fled to London to avoid prosecution for killing of a deer in the park of Sir Thomas Lucy has long since been exploded, says the Louisville Courier-Journal. Sir Thomas had no park and no deer. The latter were too plentiful at the time throughout the forests about Stratford, particularly in the wood of Arden, to tempt any one to poach upon the parks, and a Londoner by no means have saved to London from prosecution and punishment. But whatever impelled the young poet to try his fortune in London we are certainly indebted to the impulses that carried him there for some of the most interesting and valuable parts of his history and the tradition of the time, transmitted to their descendants by those who participated in the conflicts. In riding from Stratford to London and on the poet's annual visits to his old home he often lodged at the Inns and private houses of people who were familiar with the most incidents of the various conflicts. These Shakespeare gathered up and garnered in his mind, and to this fact we are most certainly indebted for the graphic and stirring plays in which he portrays the life of the nation.

Not only the character of the Kings, but the incidents of events from Richard II to the fall of Richard III, covering the reigns of Henry IV, V, and VI, with allusions to the reigns of Edward IV and V.

Handsome and light-hearted, popular with all his contemporaries except the envious Greene, and with bubbles of irrepressible merriment and wit breaking from his lips in every company, Shakespeare had not only his mother and his father, but a host of friends, friends, ranked in his heart. To the fact, too, we are probably indebted for the stirring lines in which he describes ingratitude, particularly in "As You Like It." In "Timon of Athens" and in "Lear." In property his father had been a high liver, fond of his flasks of ale and foreign claret, and his fast carpon his tender mutton and juicy venison; liberal in his hospitality, and all was doubtless in the poet's mind when he described Timon as "a noble gentleman if he would not keep so good a house." Mary Arden, the poet's mother, was an heiress, superior in social rank to her husband, but so devoted that she mortgaged her inheritance to relieve his necessities; and it is doubtless her picture the son drew in those noble strokes which the poet drew in the tradition of the female character. It is in the Forest of Arden, too, that he places the exiled Duke and puts in the mouth of Jacques those bitter words addressed to the wounded stag, deserted by his comrades, with tears covering his almost bursting with helpless sobs. "Tis the fashion," says he; yes, the fashion alike with men and beasts, more marked with the former than the latter.

It was in John Shakespeare's distress that "His familiarity from his buried fortune slunk all away; left their false vows with

THE COMIC MUSI.

A SPRING HABIT.

Spring weather lovely woman spends
Out looking for a fat,
Although the ladies intend
To stay where it is "at."
To move is farthest from her mind;
She doesn't want to rent;
Although, of course, it she could find
A dream she might consent.
She wanders up and down the street
In sunshine and in shower,
And all through habit's power
Oh, who will run the microphone down
And its proud spirit crush
That makes the ladies roam the town
In rain and shine and slush!
—Chicago News.

THE FLIRT.

There are chaps that they sit next to
one at dinners,
And boys that in the German take you
out.
There are silver-haired and also hairless
sneers
Whom you always meet at a lively
route;
The lads who like to get you in a corner
And spoon through all the dances on
the stair,
And those with sugar plums like Jacky
Horne,
And the naughty ones who never take
a dare!

But when you meet a person ordinary,
Serious—a white gardenia in his coat—
Who looks the other way in manner wary
And doesn't seem your presence quite
to note,
Whose eyes smile rather as though you
amuse him,
As if, in fact, he thought he had you
pat—
What ripping fun—to win him—then re-
fuse him!
Oh, how one hates a man who acts like
that!

SOME PASSING JES'S.

"Do you think my yacht is complete?" asked Sir Thomas Lipton, gazing proudly at the Shamrock III.

Well, you might add a deckchair," advised the friend.

"A deckchair? What for?"

"To lift the cup."

—Chicago News.

Gunner—I hear that a man was killed in a shooting gallery.

Guy—Did some one accidentally shoot him?

Gunner—He smoked one of those cigars they give for hitting the bulls-eye.

—Chicago News.

WOULD NEVER DO.

"What name?" asked the Boston butcher.

"Chief Kicking Horse," said the Indian caller.

"Dear me! That will not do at all. I shall take in your name as Chief Reckless-trail Equine Quadruped."—Chicago Tribune.

THE EDITOR'S FEAR.

English Magazine Editor—I am an afraid—Assistant—Yes?

English Magazine Editor—That we are not labeling our humorous department plainly enough. Unless we make the titles less ambiguous half our readers will not know the articles are funny.—Baltimore American.

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NEWS FROM CITY OF ALAMEDA

SCHOOL SUBJECTS NEW MEMBER OF ALAMEDA BOARD OF HEALTH.

MAKING ARRANGEMENTS TO HAVE CHILDREN GET VIEW OF PRESIDENT.

ALAMEDA, May 6.—Some of the time of the Board of Education at the regular weekly meeting last night was taken up with the discussion of the arrangements for the part of the school children of Alameda will take in the reception to President Roosevelt on the 14th inst.

President Otis said that it was desirable that the school children of Alameda should make as desirable a showing as possible. An invitation to the children to participate was read from the arrangements committee in Oakland, and it is understood that the positions allotted to the children will be on streets west of Lake Merritt. Chairman Otis added that the question of transportation and lunch for the children seemed the most difficult to solve, and a discussion ensued as to whether the street or steam cars should be chosen as a means of transportation. Chairman Otis further said that no flowers were to be thrown by the children in the path of the Presidential party. It was finally decided to leave the arrangements for transportation and other matters in the hands of Superintendent Hughes.

WANTS COMMISSION.

A communication was read from Charles Huff, architect of the Mastick School, requesting payment of his commission, but settlement of the matter was deferred until arrangements for the heating of the school are definitely made.

The following applied for positions as teachers: Elsie Bowman, Hannah Oehlmann, Nellie Crowley, Mrs. W. D. Egenhoff, Kate Foster, Abbie Sykes, Alice Kimball, Edith Kurtz and Susan Edson.

JANITOR.

On the recommendation of Trustees Scott, William Nicholson was appointed janitor of the new high school to begin duty on the 15th inst. Mr. Nicholson is acting as gardener of Hicks School. He will perform the duties of both positions at a salary of \$75 per month.

HIGH SCHOOL DEDICATION.

It was agreed that the dedication of the high school shall take place about the 23d inst. The principal feature of the proceedings will be choral services by the children. The arrangement of all minor details was left in the hands of the high school committee.

It was decided to hold the annual election of teachers on Friday, June 5. Just a quorum attended the meeting, there being present in addition to the president, Trustees Baurhite and Scott.

MARRIAGE OF MISS MORLEY AND GEORGE HICKMAN.

ALAMEDA, May 6.—Miss Helen Morley of St. Louis, Mo., and George Hickman of this city were wedded at noon Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Rew. The Rev. E. P. Dennett of the First Methodist Episcopal Church officiated. Miss Effie A. McGahan was maid of honor and Charles C. Coyle was best man. Many friends of the couple witnessed the marriage and partook of the wedding breakfast that was served. Mr. and Mrs. Hickman will reside in Alameda. The groom is a mining expert and has but recently returned from Mexico where he went to examine properties in which local capitalists are interested.

PLEASANT SOCIAL EVENTS OF THE DAY.

ALAMEDA, May 6.—Alameda Parlor Native Sons of the Golden West, gave a social and dance in Harmonie Hall last night. The attendance was large many guests from outside cities being present.

On Wednesday evening, June 3, the graduating party of the June '03, class of the Alameda High School will take place in Harmonie Hall. The class is one of the largest yet graduated from the high school.



DAVID C. HENNY.

ALAMEDA, May 6.—David C. Henny, the newly-appointed member of the Alameda Board of Health, is by profession a civil and hydraulic engineer and is the first member appointed to that body who is not a physician. It is expected that Mr. Henny's knowledge of building construction and sanitary matters will be of much value to the board. Mr. Henny is president of the Technical Society of the Pacific Coast and a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers. He served a term on the Civil Service Board of San Francisco, having been appointed by ex-Mayor Phelan. He is 42 years of age, and has been a resident of Alameda for seven years. He resides at 1711 Central avenue.

TO FURNISH THE WEST END'S MOVE TO RAISE MONEY.

AN ASSOCIATION FORMED TO FINISH WORK BEGUN BY ANDREW CARNEGIE.

ALAMEDA, May 6.—A meeting of public spirited citizens was held in the new Free Library building last night to devise ways and means for the raising of \$3,000 required to furnish the new building.

President Mastick of the Library board occupied the chair. After the subject had been discussed, it was resolved that the best way of attaining the object in view would be to form an association and this was done under the title of the Alameda Library Improvement Association.

The following officers were elected: J. G. Brick, president; Mrs. McGurn, vice-president; Sanford Bennett, treasurer and Librarian Graves, secretary.

It was decided that the members shall meet again in the new library building Tuesday evening next and hear plans for the raising of the amount named. Altogether, a total of \$7,000 is required to furnish the building and put the interior in condition in which the books can be arranged without injury or damage. Of this sum \$2,000 has already been promised.

ALAMEDA, May 6.—An entertainment for the benefit of the building fund of the West End Improvement Association will be given in Enchinal Hall at Bay station this evening. The affair is in charge of a committee representing the association. Following is the program to be rendered:

Overture. Rice-Hutton orchestra; character sketch, Sylvia Newman; violin and piano duet, N. C. and B. Hawks; songs, Benjamin Dalzell; Parliquin dance, Miss Pearl McGinnis and Miss Mark Nichols; zither solo, Alphonse Hirsch; recitation, Mrs. Leroy Pollard; vocal solo, Miss Bessie Murphy; mind reading, Dr. Maurice F. Green and Miss Della Green; songs, Elton Lambert; piano duet, Miss L. Hoffman and Miss Edith Probst; recitation, Miss T. Pritchard; cornet solo, Mrs. H. R. Auerbach; song, T. C. Abendroth; violin selection, Master M. Isaacson; vocal number, Mrs. Clara T. Mundt; piano solo, Beatrice Gotthelm.

HEALTH BOARD TO MEET FRIDAY.

ALAMEDA, May 6.—The Health Board will meet Friday evening. Although two members of the body are ill in the sanitarium a quorum can be obtained as a result of the appointment of the new member, David C. Henny, C. E.

PIONEER DIES AT ORANGE. SANTA ANA, May 6.—Allen A. Talkington, a pioneer resident of Orange, died at his home there yesterday, aged 83 years.

M. W. SIMPSON TWICE ELECTED CITY ATTORNEY FOR ALAMEDA.



M. W. SIMPSON,
City Attorney of Alameda.

M. W. Simpson was elected City Attorney of Alameda at the recent election. This is his second term in the office and it will extend over four years, the first term having been two years. Mr. Simpson is 31 years of age. He was born in Alameda.

ADAMLESS EDEN HONOR SHOWN TO A MYTH.

SAILOR RETURNS WITH ROBISON CRUSOE TALES OF HIS VOYAGE.

ALAMEDA, May 6.—John Oleon has arrived in this city after an absence of about seven years and brings a tale of travel and adventure rivaling that of the celebrated Baron Munchausen. That Oleon has survived all he has come through seems a miracle.

Many people now living in Alameda well remember the fitting out and sailing from the Oakland estuary over seven years ago of the schooner Percy Edwards with a cargo of adventurous emigrants recruited in Oakland and Alameda County and bound for a much talked of island of the Fiji group in the South seas known as the "Adamless Eden." The island was represented as a perfect haven of bliss and it was with high hopes that those on board, as high, perhaps, as ever possessed the Cocos Island treasure hunters saw the prow of the vessel head away from these sunny shores for the unknown Eden of the Antarctic regions.

Oleon's story is to the effect that the first island touched at was Lavoca, of the Fiji group, where nineteen of the passengers, being by this time tired of a seafaring life, deserted the ship after securing permits to go to a German sugar plantation. Oleon continued the voyage and the good ship next called at Suva, where a bait thrown out by a British official giving them work on a banana farm (they were to get ten cents a bunch for the fruit), led twenty more to desert the ship. Still undaunted, the others continued the trip to New Zealand and subsequently to the French penal settlement of New Caledonia. Here he acquired with and interest in American affairs. The Emperor also received Adelaide Ristori, whom he saluted as "Queen of tragedy."

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ANNUAL CONFERENCE MEETS. ATLANTA, Ga., May 6.—The sixth annual meeting of the National Conference of Charities and Corrections will be held here this evening at the First Baptist Church. An address of welcome will be delivered by Mayor Howell, to which a response will be made by Dr. Frederick H. Wines of Washington. The president of the association, Robert De Forest, of New York, will then deliver his annual address.

CAPT. THOMPSON, PORT WARDEN, OLD RESIDENT OF THIS ISLAND.

ALAMEDA, May 6.—Captain H. A. Thompson, who a Sacramento dispatch states was appointed port warden of San Francisco, is well known in local politics here.

He resides at 2070 Enchinal avenue. As he is an old mariner it is thought that he will readily familiarize himself with the duties he has assumed.

WANTS TO SELL HER HUSBAND'S BUSINESS.

GREENWICH, Conn., May 6.—Mrs. Genevieve Peats, who was appointed conservator of the personal estate of her husband, Alfred Peats, a wealthy wall paper manufacturer, by the Probate Court here last January, after her husband had become insane, has applied to the Greenwich court for permission to sell her husband's business and property.

Mrs. Peats gets forth that she is president of the company, which has branches in New York, Chicago, Boston and Brooklyn, that the business is insolvent, but that its actual assets are much smaller than the capital stock, and that it has not sufficient working capital to withstand competition. She declares that she finds herself incapable of continuing the business except at great loss.

LADIES MEET EMPEROR.

ROME, May 6.—Several ladies were presented to Emperor William today, including Mrs. Meyer, wife of the United States Ambassador, to whom the Emperor spoke cordially, showing his familiarity with and interest in American affairs. The Emperor also received Adelaide Ristori, whom he saluted as "Queen of tragedy."

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ALAMEDA, May 6.—Improvements have been completed on the building of the Bank of Alameda on Park street at a cost of \$25,000. The additions include a new section in which there are offices for the president and directors, a new safe-deposit vault of steel and cement, 200 new safe-deposit boxes and four private rooms in which patrons of this department can transact business.

J. C. FIELDING WILL REPRESENT CONDUCTORS

ALAMEDA, May 6.—J. C. Fielding, a well-known conductor on the South Shore line, will leave this evening for Pittsburg, Pa., where he will attend the biennial convention of the Order of Railway Conductors, which is to take place at an early date in the smoky city.

Mr. Fielding goes as the delegate of the El Capitlan Division, No. 115, of the order. As he intends visiting New York and other large cities in the East before his return, he will be absent about a month.

BELL STILL GENERAL.

DENVER, Colo., May 6.—Rough Rider Sherman Bell has withdrawn his resignation as Adjutant General of the National Guard of Colorado.

HEALDSBURG, May 6.—The Dingee ranch of 12,000 acres, situated partly in this county, and partly in Mendocino County, has been sold to W. J. Hotchkiss of Healdsburg. It is thought that Mr. Hotchkiss made the deal with the Oakland capitalist for an Eastern syndicate. The sale price is \$106,000 which included 500 head of cattle, the implements and handsome residence on the premises. The price is considered low.

ROCKEFELLER'S TITLE.

NEW YORK, May 6.—John D. Rockefeller has taken title to the parcels of land in this city which he bought a short time ago for a site for the buildings of the institute for medical research.

Nearly Forfeits His Life.

A runaway, almost ending fatally, started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. E. Corner, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all doctors and all remedies. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for Burns, Eruptions, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25c, at Osgood Bros., Druggists, Seventh street and Broadway.

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ROBERT S. FARRELLY.

Robert S. Farrelly of San Leandro is one of the best known residents of Alameda county. He has been here for a number of years, is the owner of extensive land interests, is a man of means, business foresight and integrity. He is highly esteemed by people who have personal acquaintance and business dealings with him.

SAN LEANDRO May 6.—The old

SAN LEANDRO, May 6.—The old feud between attorneys John Black and M. L. Rawson cropped out again in the trial of Mary Correia for disturbing the peace Saturday. Mr. Black is the plaintiff, before whom the case was tried. Mr. Rawson, the defendant's attorney, on May 2, made an affidavit from which the following extract is taken:

"That said J. Black, while then and there sitting and acting as judge of said Recording court, awarded said Mary Correia, the said attorney to defend her in said action, to which question astant replied that she would employ Mr. Rawson to defend her."

"That, thereupon, the said John Black, judge of said Recording Court, became much excited and said to astant as follows to wit: 'You must not bring that man into this court. I do not want him here. He is too saucy, and if you employ him to defend you it will send you to jail. He will charge you \$15 or \$20 to see your case, and I will sell cheaper for you to plead guilty and pay the money to me. If you will have a lawyer, go and see Mr. Frank, or get an Oakland lawyer. You must not employ that man Rawson.'

"That affiant then and there swore to said judge that she would employ Rawson, and then said judge, being greatly agitated and enraged, again warned affiant not to employ Rawson and then and there threatened to send affiant to jail in the event of her employing Rawson."

The paper then goes on to demand change of venue, as the defendant was of the opinion that Judge Black would not give her justice. The request was not granted. Judge Black said the case and the discharge of the woman, on the grounds of insufficient evidence against her.

There the matter rests, but town gossip affirm that there will be "something doing" yet before the two legal lights are through with each other.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued:

Henry Schildren, Soledad	2
Mary S. Ziegler, Oakland	2
Leon E. Libby, Oakland	2
Ethel E. Cox, Fruitvale	1

Board of Education Provides Them Stands From Which to Hurl Flowers at President.

BERKELEY, May 6.—When President Roosevelt alights from the train at Berkeley station week from tomorrow he will be greeted by the school children of Berkeley, who will be lining the sides of Grand street, half hidden in a mass of Berkeley flowers. The Board of Education, at its meeting last night, granted the children a holiday on the 14th and further gave the superintendent permission to suspend school on the 14th on the day proceeding, that they may gather the greatest mass of flowers that has ever been seen in this city.

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The following applications for teachers' positions were received and placed on file:

C. Steele, Adelaide H. Brown, Josephine M. Hopkins, Mrs. W. D. Egghoff, Elizabeth H. Lehr, Margaret O'Toole, Chas. F. Evans, Roy E. Lickerson, Anna M. Baker, Lena M. Dowdy and May Devine.	Telephone and Telegraph Co. \$2.50; same, \$2.50; Centra Costa Water Co. (high school), \$6.80; same (county), \$23.55; H. Higgins, same. \$4.50; E. E. Robinson, same. \$4.20; Alexander Yost Co. C. F. \$5.25; H. M. Waterbury, same. \$4; C. M. Weber & Co., same, \$9.25; George Williams, same, \$20.
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W. C. T. U. HOLDS

MONTHLY MEETING
BERKELEY, May 6. — The regular monthly meeting of the Berkeley Women's Christian Temperance Union was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church.

HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, EMERYVILLE, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

CLOSING STREETS CONSIDERED.	FRUITVALE DIVIDED.	IS BOILER WENT PIECES.	TO SOUTHERN PACIFIC USES OIL.	STORY OF LIFE IN PHILIPPINES.	NO SPECIAL CARS TO BE HAD.	FELL CLOSE TO WHEELS.
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LINEMAN KICKED BY A HORSE
AND MAY LOSE SIGHT OF
ONE EYE.

WEST BERKELEY, May 6.—On Monday evening J. Perkins of San Francisco had a narrow escape from being run over by a train. He was starting to cross the track as the 8 o'clock West Berkeley local was approaching Posen station and, stumbling, fell to the ground. Fortunately, he did not lose his presence of mind and rolled away from the track as the train passed by.

ENTERTAINMENT.

The West Berkeley Mothers' Club gave a very pleasant social and entertainment last Friday which was largely attended and enjoyed. An excellent program of musical and literary selections was rendered and refreshments were served. The entertainment was in charge of a committee composed of Mesdames Verbeck, Roland, Gillman, Olsson, and Wilson. The program was under the direction of Mrs. Fred Heard and Mrs. H. C. Middleton.

DEBORA HEFT

It has been announced that the Santa Fe Company will build its new depot on Delaware street and University avenue. The crews are being rushed with the

PLEADED GUILTY.

Mary Ann Foster, a resident of the West End, was up before Judge Edga in Berkeley yesterday on the charge of battery. She pleaded guilty and was

released on \$20 bail to guarantee her appearance in court on Tuesday for sentence.

THEATER PARTY.
Miss Anna Neuwirth was the hostess of a charming theater party Monday night. The party went to San Francisco

where they attended the Alcazar. The guests were, Mrs. A. J. Hadley, Miss Frances Schuster, Lillian Bennett, Lulu Bennett, Eleanor Keegan, Matilda Martin and Grace Bjordan.

LINEMAN HURT.
One of the telephone linemen named Russell, at work here was quite seriously injured yesterday afternoon by a

injured yesterday afternoon by being kicked by a horse. He stooped down to pick up a wire near a horse when he was kicked in the eye and may lose his sight. The injury was accidental.

MOVED.
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Morill have taken up their residence at Fourth street and Alston way.

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EXAMINATION OF FIREMEN WHO WISH TO BE APPOINTED AS ENGINEERS.

Examinations were held yesterday at the West Oakland yard for the graduation from position of fireman to that of engineers. They were conducted by H. Stevenson, the Traveling Road Foreman of Engineers.

The candidates were examined as to their knowledge, both practical and theoretical, of a locomotive. Among other things they had to tell what they would do in case of an accident which disabled the machine and were questioned as to what they would do in any emergency.

Those who took the examinations were firemen George Wamsley, Barnes, Jackson and Webb.

The examination was rigid and the candidates are on the anxious seat to know whether they have passed or not.

THE CONSUMING OF SMOKE BY OIL BURNING ENGINES.

At the recent meeting of the Pacific Coast Railway club the principal subject of discussion was the question "Are not all oil burning engines supposed to consume their own smoke?" and if so, what is the matter with those that don't?

Several very instructive papers were read on the subject and the following is the reply to the question by H. L. Stevenson, Road Foreman of Engineers:

In replying to the first part of the question, would say that perfect oil-burning locomotives ought to consume nearly all their smoke. If perfect conditions could, at all times, be maintained, but little opportunity would be afforded for complaint against smoky oil-burners, but the fact is often found to be the case when conditions are not what they ought to be to insure perfect combustion, but contribute largely to defeat the efforts of engineers in obtaining desirable and satisfactory results.

Factors to be considered in proper conditions referred to can be properly charged to imperfect design or model of the box-work or attachments of the locomotive, which were originally in good form and in perfect condition, but now possibly need repairing. There may be slight leaking of tubes or stay bolts which, in itself, may cause imperfect combustion, which in turn may need repairing, which in bad condition also contributes largely to poor consumption of fuel oil and excessive smoking of engines; but owing to circumstances over which roundhouse forces have no control, due to the necessity and demands of the department and the scarcity of locomotives, this one in bad condition is forced into service again without receiving necessary attention and repairs, with what result can be easily conjectured without drawing out the imagination.

The assignment of locomotives to service after being at a roundhouse from two to five hours after completing a trip is not at all imaginary, but of frequent occurrence, and it is often the case that engines can not be held long enough to have their boilers washed out or necessary repairs to box-work, often found, to be in good condition. The inexperience of engineers in the practice of fuel oil consumption, or the improper manipulation of the firing apparatus, or neglect to keep the tubes clean and free from soot by frequent and thorough sanding, is often followed by excessive smoking of locomotives.

"To the last section of the question, 'Which is the most suitable fuel for locomotives, having regard to the comfort and safety of passengers?' There is scarcely any room for discussion on the point of comfort or passenger riding behind an oil burning locomotive, who are not subjected to the annoying dust, comfort of constant showers of cinders, as is the case with a coal burner. Who has not at some time had the pleasurable experience of cinders in one or both eyes, causing inflammation therein, to say nothing of the annoyance of the dust or inclination to say such words, mentally if not audibly, unless restrained by devout religious influences. Then, again, the delays incident to the necessary cleaning of coal fires and hoisting out of the ash pans of coal burners do not attend the operation of an oil burner, which also contributes to the comfort and pleasure of railway patrons. From a standpoint of safety, it can be stated without fear of successful contradiction that as many train wrecks have been consumed by fire when the locomotives attached were burning coal as has been the case when oil was used for fuel, although it has not been statistically proved that this assertion; yet instances can be pointed out where train wrecks have been consumed by fire when coal was the fuel used, while very serious wrecks where oil was the fuel used escaped ignition entirely. I will cast my vote in favor of crude mineral oil for locomotive fuel."

BERKELEY LOCAL LINE SPRINKLED WITH OIL.

Yesterday the engine and oil car, which did such excellent work sprinkling the Seventh street local line with crude petroleum, was loaded up and commenced the work of treating the road from the Moile to Berkeley with coating of crude oil. It will probably take several days to complete the job and, when finished, the work will give the people of a dustless ride to the ferry. Like Seventh street, it will take more than one application of oil to make a thorough success of the job.

NOTES AND PERSONALS GATHERED ABOUT THE YARD.

The ways under the new car float were greased yesterday so as to be in readiness to slide the boat into the water at any time. It is planned to give the float an other coat of paint before she is launched.

Engine No. 1071 is in the shops for overhauling and general repairs. William Norton of the machine shop is not working for a few days on account of sickness.

The longshoremen at long wharf who are engaged in loading lumber have been given an increase in wages. They now receive twenty-five cents an hour instead of twenty as heretofore.

"Tiny" Jones of the machine shop tool room is confined at home for a few days by illness.

REMOVED. Dr. W. W. Kergan desires to announce that he has removed his office from 1158 Broadway to the Physicians' Building, 1111 Washington, rooms 317, 318. Hours 9 to 4:30 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m.

NEW DELEGATES IN CONFERENCE.

BROTHERHOOD OF RAILWAY MEN JOIN TO AID FORMATION, CENTRAL COUNCIL.

One of the features of the third meeting of the conference for the simplification of union labor government in Alameda county, in Kohler & Chase hall was the seating and enrollment, for the first time of two delegates from the American Brotherhood of Railway Employees, namely, W. H. French, vice-president and H. G. Walker, secretary of the Oakland division.

President Betty extended a cordial welcome to the delegates and to delegates of other organizations who appeared for the first time. The railway delegates represent over 600 employees and their presence will add to the status and influence of the conference which now represents 4000 union men.

Secretary Walker, in responding, urged the labor men to take hold at once of the broad economic questions of the day such as the efforts to bring the colored race standard as in the Philippine Islands and South Africa. He added that the immigration into the United States last year reached 800,000 or about 17,000 in excess of any previous year.

The committees on constitution and classification were not prepared to report and were granted week more time.

YOUNG LADIES GIVE PARTY TO FRIENDS.

BERKELEY, May 6.—Violet and Jean Kenison gave a pleasant party at the home of their parents, 1913 Haste street, last Saturday night. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion with flowers and greenery, while unique prizes and favors made the table more attractive. With music and games, some of the old ones revived and some new ones, the evening was pleasantly passed. At a late hour a delightful supper was served.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Kenison, Miss Violet Kenison, Miss Jean Kenison, Miss Lillian Woodington, Miss Alice Wisl, Miss Ivy Johnson, Miss Agnes Atkins, Miss Alma Demerit, Miss Eleanor Clough, Miss Laura McDonald, Harry Jenkins, Harry Sully, Fred Johnson, Beverly Rush, Richard Shaffer, R. Baker, E. Baker, Roy Peterson, Ed Peterson, Herman Hiller and Chester Marliave.

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OF CRAFT

OF CHAIRMAN

ALEXIS ANGERON CLAIMS HE
WAS LED THROUGH MAZE
OF DECEIT.

A large fight over the proceeds of a Trinity County boarding-house is about to come to trial here shortly. The

wishes to recover \$5000 from Mrs. De-
siree Haudbine on account of having

been ousted from an alleged partnership in a boarding-house at Junction City. He alleges that he has been led through a maze of bank practices.

Augerón alleges in his complaint

co-partnership on February 8, 1894. Nine months later, he claims, she ousted him from the business and has since appropriated to herself all of the profits. After he was ousted Augerino brought suit against Mrs. Haubdin for an accounting. In 1896, however, he signed a release of his claims for \$500.

lar with the English language and supposed the instrument he signed to be

profits and until Mrs. Maubouffe would take him back into partnership with her. When he discovered his mistake she brought suit against Mrs. Maubouffe for an accounting. Augeron was defeated in the trial of the case, which was heard before Judge T. E. Jones of Trinity County, but he claims it was through a conspiracy between his attorney and Mrs. Maubouffe.

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LIFE INSURANCE

NATIONAL GUARANTEE

PAID BY COMPANIES.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Interesting figures have been prepared here concerning the payments by companies and associations on life insurance policies during 1902. The total distribution to the policy holders and the beneficiaries was \$320,169,382 in 9,331 cities and towns. The total included death claims, dividends, surrender values, annuities and so forth.

In the statement showing the leading cities where the payments were made

475: Philadelphia, \$8,926,008; Chicago \$6,922,457; Brooklyn, \$6,805,277; Bos-

Baltimore, \$3,600,800; Cincinnati, \$3,511,582; Pittsburgh, \$2,990,371; and Minneapolis, \$2,351,358.

By State the amounts were: New York, \$47,996,241; Pennsylvania, \$24,473,445; Massachusetts, \$16,693,522; Illinois, \$12,760,765; Ohio, \$12,237,591; New Jersey, \$11,035,168 and Missouri, \$7,132,286.

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GOT A BAD SHOCK.

CEDAR GROVE, N. J., May 6. Needing a temporary hitching place for a cow, James Stein made use of an electric light pole intending to drive a stake in the ground to hold the tether chain. The pole held a lightning arrester and had a wire running from it to the ground. The pole was charged with electricity and the chain carried

seven feet. The cow, shocked at the same time, jerked the chain out of

his life. After a few days he was tried to get up. He was almost in with pain. A physician worked on him for an hour before he recovered.

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MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS

Steamers due and to sail at San Francisco and for the next six days are as follows:

Steamers--	For--
Pomona--Eureka, Arcata, etc.	May 2
Eureka--Eureka	May 2
City--San Francisco	May 2
City--Puella--Vic, Pug	May 2
Gray--Coos Bay & Pt Orford	May 2
Queen--Puget Sound ports	May 2

N Maru—China & Japan	May
Point Arena—Point Arena	May

Ramona-Newport & way	May
S Rosa-San Diego & way	May
Memphis-Hamburg via Tacoma	May
J Dollar-San Diego & Tacoma	May
Quebec-Puget Sound ports	May
Cumamado-Grays Harbor	May
Columbia-Portland & Astoria	May
Senator-Puget Sound ports	May
City Puella-Puget Sound ports	May
Phoenix-Pt Arentz-Mendocino	May
Corona-Humboldt	May
State of Cal-San Diego & Way	May
Curacao-Mexican ports	May
C Nelson-Seattle & Tacoma	May
G W Elder-Astoria & Portland	May
Doric-China & Japan	May
Newspower-San Francisco	May
Albion-N Y via S Pedro	May
North Fork-N Y via Puget Sd	May
Oregonian-N Y via Puget Sd	May
Sonoma-Sydney & way	May
Alliance-Portland & way	May

Steamers—	From—	Due
Eureka—Eureka.	Arcata, etc . . .	May

G	V Elder-Astoria & Portland	Ma
G	Colo-New York via Panama	Ma
R	Ramona-Newport & way	Ma
N	Numantia-Hamburg and way	Ma
M	Muraco-Mexican ports	Ma
M	Mexico-Cal-San Diego & way	Ma
C	Curacao-Mexican ports	Ma
C	Nelson-Seattle & Tacoma	Ma
D	Doric-China & Japan	Ma
P	Pomona-Eureka	Ma
G	Go-Portland-Astoria via Panama	Ma
G	V Elder-Astoria & Portland	Ma
S	San Juan-NY via Panama	Ma
N	North Fork-Humboldt	Ma
O	Oregonian-N Y via Puget Sd	Ma
N	Newboy-San Pedro	Ma
N	Nippon-Orient Japan	Ma
P	Phoenix-Ventura	Ma
S	S Rosa-San Diego & way	Ma
Q	Queen-Puget Sound ports	Ma
P	Pt Arena-Pt Arena	Ma
C	Chehalis-Grays Harbor	Ma
A	Argo-Humboldt	Ma
M	Monica-GRAY Harbor	Ma

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J Dollar—Seattle & Tacoma	M
Anchorage—Seattle	M
G Dollar—Grays Harbor	M
Senator—Puget Sound ports	M
City Panama—N Y via Panama	M
Navadan—Honolulu & Kahului	M

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- Cheese—Best Cal. Mild per lb 15c
- Lard—Per lb. 10c
- Plenio Hams—(Sugar Cured)—per lb. 1-2c
- Morrill's Deviled Ham 6 for 25c
- Eggs—Strictly fresh, per doz. 20c
- Tomatoes—3 cans 25c
- Baker's Cocoa—Reg. 30, per can 25c
- Alaska Fresh Salmon—3 cans 25c
- Best Eastern Codfish—3 lbs 25c
- Guatemala Coffee—(Pure) 2 lbs 25c
- Olives—(Manzanilla) per qt. 25c
- Pickles—(Mixed), per qt 10c
- Assorted California Fruit—2 cans 25c
- Corn Meal—(Yellow or white) 10 lb. 25c
- Rye Meal—10 lb. sack 25c
- Current Jelly—3 cans 25c
- Lucca Oil—California, per qt. bot. 20c
- Baltimore Cove Oyster—3 cans 25c
- Grape Nuts—2 pkgs. 25c
- Soup—(Libby's) per can 6c
- Teas—All 60c grades reduced to 50c
- New Brazilian Nuts, 2 lbs. for 25c

MARINERS SAVED IN TIME.

BRIG ISLE DE TERRA NEUVE CAUGHT IN HURRICANE'S GRASP.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Twenty-three survivors of the crew of twenty-six of the French fishing brig Isle De Terra Neuve, of St. Servan, France, arrived here today on the German-American Petroleum Company's steamer Phoebeus from Hamburg. The Isle De Terra Neuve was swept by a hurricane on April 26 and seven of her men washed overboard.

NEW DIRECTORS ELECTED.

ROCKEFELLER BREAKS INTO THE DIRECTORATE OF THE LAKE SHORE.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 6.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway company for the election of directors, etc., was held here today. The entire capital stock of the company is \$60,000,000 out of which amount \$47,500,000 was voted upon. The board of directors is classified so that there were but four vacancies to fill at this election and the following were elected for a term of three years: William K. Vanderbilt, New York; Samuel F. Barge, New York; H. McK. Twombly, New York; William Rockefeller, New York. These were all re-elections except that of Mr. Rockefeller. Except for a few matters of ordinary formality, no business other than the election of directors was transacted.

NOT SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE.

William Crawford, Dennis Connelly, Barney Madden and John Rodden, four of the twenty men who were arrested for assaulting Special Officer Morrison about six weeks ago at a Seventh street joint, were brought before Judge Quinn today in the Police Court this morning and were discharged for the lack of sufficient evidence to convict.

WILL CAMPAIGN THE EAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—Monroe Salisbury left today for the Empire track, New York, with the biggest stable of harness horses that will be campaigned in the East this season by a California stable. The stable will include Monte Carlo, last season's sensation; Mush, and a lot of youngsters.



MRS. J. W. WOODBRIDGE BARNES.

Mrs. J. Woodbridge Barnes is from Newark, N. J., and is the secretary of the primary and junior work of the International Sunday School Association. She has had many years of experience in the work in which she is engaged and is the position, which she has been called upon to fill. She is attending the State Sunday-school convention now in session in this city and is one of the earnest workers on the floor.

Reports of Laudable Efforts Read Before the Great Sunday School Convention.

The State Sunday-school Convention opened this morning at the First Methodist Church with a half hour's study of the Bible, led by W. C. Pearce, the international field worker. The half hour following was devoted to testimonies regarding the value of the association work in the several counties of the State, represented in the convention by prominent workers.

YEAR'S WORK. The report of the year's work was presented at 10 A. M. The first was by the State president, Rev. W. M. White of San Francisco, who said there was much to be thankful for when the work done was reviewed in memory. The executive committee had labored diligently to promote the cause, and the efficient labors of the general secretary had been satisfactory to the officers.

PRIMARY REPORT. The report of the primary superintendent, Miss Helen Babb of San Jose, showed there were 890 primary teachers in the forty-nine counties of the association, and twelve county primary superintendents and a district primary superintendent in each district of the county. There has been a strong effort made to push the educational work of the primary department, and as a result, there had been two primary unions organized in one county, and fifteen had been organized in the other at Palo Alto. The personal work had been difficult, as the field was large and the funds scarce to pay traveling expenses. The 600 letters written and 800 circular letters sent to primary teachers, with the five conventions visited, and 174 addresses delivered and 64 conferences attended. Besides this work, the California Sunday-school Register had been published monthly since October. This paper, now has 140 subscribers.

BANNER COUNTIES. There are three banner counties in the association territory—Santa Clara, Colusa and Kings. CONTINUES THE REPORT. The interest in the association work is growing, and we are rejoicing to see that all are becoming interested. The Governor of our State has written the following letter to show his appreciation of the work.

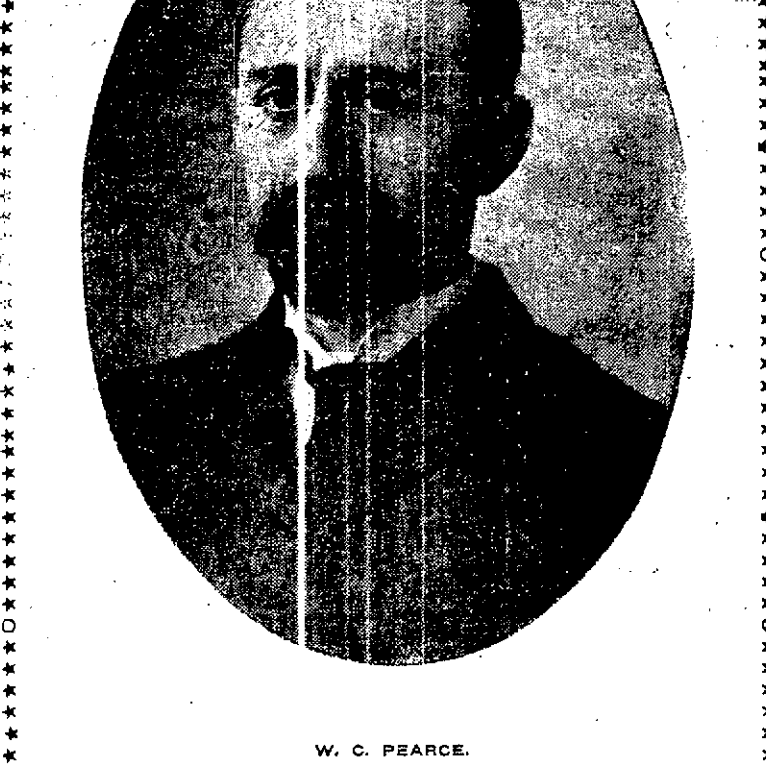
GOVERNOR PARDEE. "Thanking you for your very kind invitation to attend the Sunday School Convention, I am compelled to send regrets, because I find that my time will be so occupied that I cannot meet with you. I trust that the convention will be both interesting and profitable for all who attend. I suppose that everyone has learned to appreciate the good work which the Sunday Schools are doing, especially since they have been organized in districts, State and national associations, whereby the study of methods is promoted and the whole work is put upon a higher plane. For myself, I desire to say that I believe the loss to the country, if for any reason Sunday Schools should be abolished, would be one of the most serious losses which the community could sustain on its moral and educational side."

REPORTS DEFERRED.

The report of the temperance department was read by the superintendent, Mrs. Eva Gilchrist of Morgan Hill. The reports of the treasurer and the statistical secretary were deferred till tomorrow.

COMMITTEES.

Nomination—H. H. Bell, San Francisco.



W. C. PEARCE.

W. C. Pearce is the field worker of the International Sunday School Association, and an enthusiastic laborer in the Sunday school work in which he is engaged. His work is confined mainly to the Western States, but he is at present in this city attending the Sunday school convention being held here, and he will have been prominent throughout the sessions.

Kelly is chairman of the committee, and the following are members: Mrs. M. J. Holcomb, Sadie Smith, Mrs. N. Hubbard, Mrs. D. C. Mitchell, Mr. J. Peacemaker.

WORKERS. At the reception there were present many prominent workers, who came to welcome Mrs. J. Woodbridge Barnes, the secretary of the primary and junior work, and to hear her address. The parlors of the First Presbyterian Church, where the reception was held, were decorated with roses, snowballs and palms, and looked beautiful with the beautiful women assembled in bright dresses. There is no denying that the ladies in the primary department of the Sunday-school are the most beautiful of any in public work. Their faces reflect the brightness and interest of the young people under their direction. Among those present at the reception were: Mrs. L. Potter Hitchcock, Miss Helen Babb, Miss Kate Z. Gaston, Miss Isabel Henderson, Mrs. Lillian Baxley, Miss Maud Cheek, Miss Mabel Thayer Gray.

LAST NIGHT'S PROGRAM.

First session—Main convention, 7:45, an opening hymn of praise; 7:50, responsive reading, Psalms 121 and 122; prayer, Rev. H. J. Vosburg, Oakland; 7:55, "A Hearty Welcome to Oakland," Hon. Warren Olney, Mayor of Oakland; 8:10, response, Rev. Wm. White; 8:15, President of the Northern California Sunday-school Association; introducing Mrs. J. W. Barnes, International Sunday-school workers; 8:40, hymn, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," offering, \$145, address "The Great Teacher," Prof. W. F. Bode, Berkeley; 9:45, closing hymn of praise, prayer and benediction.

NATION'S NATAL DAY WILL BE HONORED.

All East-Bay Cities Will Join in Elaborate Celebration of July Fourth.

A number of citizens met with Directors of the Merchants' Exchange last night for the purpose of making arrangements for the observance of July 4th. Many enthusiastic speeches, brimming with patriotism were delivered and promises of hearty support were made. By the unanimous vote of those present the following were chosen to handle the affair.

COMMITTEES. Chairman, D. C. Brown, secretary Wilbur Walker, treasurer, Geo. Glaser, Mr. Brown will confer with those taking an active interest in the celebration and at the next meeting will announce the membership of the following committees, which will comprise members represented by the numbers annexed.

Decorations, 7. Literary exercises, 7. Patriotic program, 7. The executive committee will consist of the chairman of all committees and twenty citizens at large.

WHO WILL SUCCEED JUDGE STETSON?

George Samuels Making Earnest Effort to Succeed Place of the City Justice.

A quiet fight is in progress to see who will slip into John W. Stetson's shoes as Justice of the Peace, but George Samuels, at present a Deputy District Attorney, seems to have the long hand for the coveted place as he long has been known and is personally known and liked by the supervisors, who have the disposal of the plum. Mr. Samuels also has the advantage of having got in early and of having a number of influential friends working for him.

This political scrap under cover is due to the fact that Justice Stetson is regarded as slated for the snug berth of attorney for the State Land Commission. Stetson declines to say anything about his chances, but the tip has gone out—and been accepted—that the Governor has selected him for the place. Governor Pardee has known Stetson ever since he was in kindergarten and has a great liking for him. On the other hand, Stetson has been an ardent admirer and follower of the Governor ever since he was old enough to vote. He is a State University boy, with irreproachable habits, and has made an excellent record as Justice of the Peace.

MEXICAN LOAN FLOATED.

NEW YORK, May 6.—It is stated on high authority that negotiations have been almost completed to float a Mexican loan, ostensibly in this country, but really abroad. The amount of the loan will be less than \$25,000,000 and will, it is thought, take the form of a 5 per cent bond. The money will be used for public improvements.

SPOTTER IS DISCHARGED.

TOPEKA, Kan., May 6.—Advice have been received here from Horton that the Rock Island Company discharged the alleged spotter, Geo. Bell, last night, and that the eighty strikers in the machine shops returned to work this morning. All of the 800 strikers had threatened to go out unless Bell was discharged.

GATES GOES TO EUROPE.

NEW YORK, May 6.—John W. Gates is one of the passengers booked to sail for Europe to-day on the steamer Oceanic.

HUNTINGTON AND HARRIMAN IN CONFERENCE.

Railroad Deal in Which Magnates are Engaged Arouses Great Amount of Interest.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 6.—Evidently E. H. Harriman is confident of reaching an amicable understanding with H. E. Huntington and I. W. Hellman, although the indications are that no community of interests has been established as yet. Mr. Huntington refuses to say a word about the differences between himself and associates and the Southern Pacific management. The conference between the rival forces yesterday lasted precisely one hour, and at its close the public received no definite information. Reading between the lines, it is easy to guess that the conference had been productive of no definite result, though conducted in a friendly spirit—that is, the opposing parties were presumably cordial toward each other, which by no means implies that their interests do not clash as fiercely as before.

Mr. Harriman denies that the Southern Pacific bought the electric franchise in Los Angeles from under Huntington for the sum \$110,000, but this is not conclusive proof that the franchise was not purchased by people who will turn it over to the Southern Pacific or anybody else, when directed to do so by whoever is in the background. Mr. Huntington has stated openly that the Southern Pacific is behind it, and is treating with Mr. Harriman on that basis. Those present at the conference were H. E. Huntington, I. W. Hellman and their attorney, W. J. Dunn of Los Angeles; E. H. Harriman and chief counsel W. F. Herrin of the Southern Pacific. The meeting took place in Herrin's office. Harriman remained but a short time. All of the others were closed for several hours. Afterward, Mr. Harriman said Mr. Huntington would remain in the Southern Pacific, and denied any knowledge of the latter's resignation as vice president.

THREE-CENT FARES.

Harriman, along with Senator W. A. Clark of Montana, W. L. Elkins of Philadelphia and R. C. Kerens of St. Louis, is interested in a projected company which has asked the Los Angeles City Council for franchises for electric roads over eighty miles of streets. Three-cent fares are guaranteed. Harriman, as the head of the Southern Pacific, and Clark and Kerens as the leading men in the Los Angeles and Salt Lake roads, are supposed to have had their passenger traffic severely cut into by the Hellman and Huntington interurban electric system, which is being built on a large scale to all towns around Los Angeles. This fact is the motive for Harriman and Clark wanting to cripple the other two men by a new electric system, which can be operated in connection with their steam roads.

RESPECTIVE HOLDINGS.

Huntington and Hellman have up to date, spent \$7,000,000 on their Los Angeles and interurban electric systems. Over \$8,000,000 more is to be expended. The interurban system will, when completed, embrace 500 miles of road. It has, it is true, cut heavily into the local passenger traffic of the two steam roads mentioned.

Harriman does not want Hellman and Huntington to extend their electric system to Santa Barbara. Huntington and his associates own valuable franchises in Stockton and Fresno, also a big electric power plant in the mountains east of Fresno. This plant can furnish power for a great many miles of roads. Harriman does not desire an electric competing line between Stockton and Fresno in the near future, with an ultimate extension from Fresno to Bakersfield and thence to Los Angeles. The situation may be summed up about this way: The Southern Pacific can greatly damage and hamper Huntington and Hellman in Los Angeles, but Huntington and Hellman can cut into Southern Pacific business heavily by completing an electric system from Los Angeles to San Francisco through the San Joaquin valley. Therefore the conference between the financial magnates is fought with far reaching consequences.

Mysterious Circumstance.

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SUMMER VACATIONS.

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